

## FAVOR THE JESUITS AS LO'S TEACHERS

### SENATOR VEST SPEAKS OF INDIAN SCHOOLS.

He Then Claims the Only Successful Institution of Learning on the Reservations Are Those Conducted By the Jesuits—Tariff Arguments Listened to.

Washington, April 16.—The senate spent Thursday considering the Indian appropriation bill, but did not complete it. Early in the session the proceedings were made executive, and when the doors were again opened to the public the Indian bill came up.

The pending question was on the committee amendment opening the Uncompagne Indian reservation in Utah to public entry.

Mr. Jones, of Arkansas, withdrew the point of order he had made, and on a yea and nay vote the amendment was agreed to—33 to 13.

Mr. Quay's amendment striking out the ratification of the oil grants was accepted.

On motion of Mr. Gallinger the provision as to children of a white father and Indian mother was modified so as to give these children tribal rights on the consent of a majority of the tribe and the consent of the secretary of the interior.

Mr. Vest, of Missouri, spoke in criticism of the provision of the bill abolishing sectarian Indian schools. He was, he said, brought up a protestant, and had no connection with the Roman Catholic church, but he had no sympathy with that cowardly and ignorant sentiment that any religious denomination could menace our liberties. He had traveled through the Indian country, visiting the schools, and had found them a travesty on education, except when conducted by the Jesuits. Broken-down preachers and defunct politicians were sent out to the western country to teach the Indian children. He had found, he said, that the only Indian schools accomplishing any good were those conducted by the Jesuits.

"If I had control of these schools," proceeded Mr. Vest, "I would give them to those who have studied the Indians; those who have taken the young Indians from the tepee, segregated them from their fathers and mothers and taught them the religion of Christ, even if the cross is the emblem of their religion. I would infinitely rather see them Catholics than savages. I do not belong to that sect who would rather see an Indian damned than to see him in the Catholic church."

Mr. Vest said he would make no effort to oppose the provisions of the bill, but would content himself with this protest. The Indian bill was not completed when, at 5 o'clock, the senate adjourned to Monday.

### SUGGESTIONS ON TARIFF.

#### Members of the Senate Sub-Committee Hold an All-Day Session.

Washington, April 16.—The republican subcommittee of the Senate committee on finance held an all-day session at the capitol Thursday to afford an opportunity to other senators to make suggestions on the tariff bill. Senator Quay had a brief conference, and devoted himself especially to the rates on carpets and matting, upon which he urged a rate of duty which would insure protection to the industries of this country against the products of China and Japan.

Senator Sewell suggested modifications of the chemical, silk, pottery, paper and watch schedules.

Senators Baker and Harris asked for a duty of \$2 a ton on gypsum and for a decrease of the duty proposed on Mexican cattle.

Senators Elkins and Wellington both appeared in support of the Dingley rate on coal, which there is an effort to have reduced.

During the day a number of republican senators from the inter-mountain states met to agree upon a plan of co-operation. They reached no definite conclusion, except to stand together in their demands on wool, hides, cattle, lead ore and other rocky mountain products.

#### To Investigate Civil Service.

Washington, April 16.—The senate committee on civil service has decided to enter upon a thorough investigation of the extent to which the civil service law is enforced and the effect of its enforcement in promoting the public welfare. Circulars are to be sent to the various heads of departments, asking for information as to the workings of the law.

#### Callers at the White House.

Washington, April 16.—There was a very large crowd of callers at the white house Thursday. Senator Hanna of Ohio and Senator Proctor of Vermont called early, and were in consultation with the president for some time. The visit of Messrs. Hanna and Proctor evidently was once f more than ordinary importance, but both senators declined to make any statement.

#### President Can Not Attend.

Washington, April 16.—President McKinley has decided that he will be unable to attend the Nashville exposition on the opening day, May 1, but will formally notify the authorities that he will visit the exposition after

## CALL REBELLION CIVIL WAR

### How Our State Department Views the Cuban Insurrection.

New York, April 16.—A dispatch to a local paper from Washington says that the policy of the administration in reference to Cuba is not likely to be criticised, as was that of its predecessor, on the score of indifference to American citizens.

Secretary Sherman will see to it that imprisonment of suspects entitled to the protection of the United States for an indefinite period of time is no longer indulged in by Spanish officials in Cuba. He will even go further and make it plain to the Spanish authorities that they can not in the closing decade of the nineteenth century be permitted to carry on war upon principles utterly at variance with modern civilization.

In short, notice has been served on the Spanish government—informally, as yet, but still in unmistakable terms—that this government recognizes a state of civil war on the island of Cuba which demands a treatment of prisoners taken in action by either side somewhat different from that which seems to have been awarded to them thus far.

## FIRE AT NEW ORLEANS

### The Celebrated Moresque Building and All Its Contents Were Destroyed Yesterday.

New Orleans, La., April 16.—Fire broke out in the furniture store of Montgomery & Co., corner of Camp and Poydras streets, at 1 o'clock Thursday. This was in the celebrated Moresque building, constructed of iron and the most perfect specimen of Moorish architecture in America. One-half of the building was occupied by Montgomery & Co. as a furniture store, and the other by Ganche & Sons, queensware and furnishing goods. Before the engines arrived the building was in flames from foundation to roof. The fire crossed the street and burned out the German Gazette and Telegram, newspapers, and other properties adjoining. The loss is said to be \$500,000, but this is probably an exaggerated estimate.

## EDHEM PASHA WOULD FIGHT

### Turkish Commander Wants to March Against the Greeks.

Constantinople, April 16.—For three days past the ministerial council has been in session at the Yildiz kiosk. According to a report the council has agreed upon a plan of campaign in the event of an outbreak of hostilities between Greece and Turkey, and that the ministers also decided that if a fresh frontier incident occurs Edhem Pasha, the Turkish commander-in-chief, is to assume the offensive.

Edhem Pasha has telegraphed to the Turkish authorities here that unless he is ordered to cross the frontier and take up a position on the plains of Thessaly his present position is untenable, owing to the constant attacks of the Greek insurgents, who have entered the Turkish lines by stealth, and also in consequence of the excitement among the troops, especially the Albanians.

The Turkish ministers, it is further announced, have informed the sultan that war should be declared against Greece. The sultan has not yet replied to this recommendation of his ministers.

Advices received here from Salonica say that the authorities are arming the Bashi Bazouks there and at Janina, in Albania.

In the meanwhile negotiations continue with the representatives of the powers here to determine the basis of Cretan autonomy.

#### Spaniards Insult Our Flag.

New York, April 16.—A dispatch to the Herald from Sagua La Grande, via Key West, says: "News has reached here of an outrage perpetrated near the town of Encrucijada by Spanish troops, who destroyed the property owned by the wife of the British vice-consul, Mr. Harris of Sagua, and tore up an American flag, which the manager of the estate, George Harris, who is an American citizen, had draped over his bed. The matter was reported to Mr. Harris on his return, and he promptly laid it before the British and American consular representatives in Sagua, who will cause a thorough investigation."

#### Two Hundred Thousand Starving.

Havana, April 16.—Over two hundred thousand people cooped up in the cities in Cuba are staring starvation in the face. Of this number at least 3,000 are American citizens who were engaged in peaceful pursuits in the interior. Weyler's orders to concentrate the rural population in small towns is the cause of all this misery. The people have no money to buy food or pay rent and live in bark houses in the alleyways, where they slowly starve to death.

#### To Exterminate Hog Cholera.

Washington, April 16.—The agricultural department has taken steps looking to the extermination of hog cholera, and as an initiative has sought the co-operation of the states of Tennessee and Iowa in an experiment to determine how economically the malady, which is devastating swine interests, can be stamped out. If these states do not agree to co-operate others will be asked so that a satisfactory experiment can be made.

## BIG PART OF CITY IS NOW LAID BARE

### FLOODS DO GREAT DAMAGE AT OMAHA.

The Torrent Pouring from the Missouri Drive Families From Their Homes—Flood Seeks Out Weak Points of Louisiana Levees—People Need Help In Many Places.

Omaha, Neb., April 16.—All day Thursday torrents from the raging Missouri poured across the North Omaha gardens and rolled over what were fields and dooryards. The flood is flowing into Florence and Cut-Off lakes. The former has lost its identity, and the latter may soon. It is seven feet higher than it was Tuesday, and is surely cutting away the dikes that hold it back from the Missouri. A rise of three inches in the river and a strong wind may turn the flood loose on the permanent embankments that hold back Cut-Off lake, and then a disaster will come. Twenty more families have been driven from their homes in East Omaha. These houses stood on what was considered high ground, but are now surrounded. The Burlington road has protected its tracks against further damage, and the Union Pacific is doing similar work.

#### IS STILL RISING.

#### Mississippi May Find Weak Spots in Louisiana Levees.

Memphis, Tenn., April 16.—While the condition of affairs in the overflowed Mississippi delta is reported brighter, the situation between Vicksburg and New Orleans is causing the greatest apprehension. The river continues to rise in the Louisiana levee district, and weak spots in the levee are being strengthened and watched day and night. Statistics of the number of flood sufferers in Bolivar county have been compiled by a committee appointed to look after the distribution of the government provisions. They show 22,000 people who are now or soon will have to be fed by charity, in addition to 3,000 head of live stock.

#### Relief Wanted for 60,000.

Washington, April 16.—The following dispatch was received by the war department Thursday from one of the army officers detailed to distribute supplies:

"Vicksburg, Miss., April 15.—Over nine-tenths of Washington, Issaquena, Sharkey, Sunflower, and considerable of Yazoo and Warren counties overflowed. Estimate 60,000 persons need food; stock also suffering severely in eastern half of this territory, where distress is becoming acute. Can only be reached by boat up Yazoo and Sunflower rivers from Vicksburg."

#### No Relief at Davenport.

Davenport, Iowa, April 16.—The waters of the Mississippi were brought to within six inches of the danger line by Thursday's rise of seven inches, and as rains and cloudy weather continue, the flood's crest seems as far off as ever. The rising waters have compelled the vacating of cellars in the jobbing district near the river front, and the levee is almost entirely under water. At Moline fears are felt that the flood will overflow the tall race and threaten heavy manufacturing interest.

#### Drowned at Quincy, Ill.

Quincy, Ill., April 16.—The Mississippi flood is rising again at this point, and the water advanced over three inches Thursday. The stage is fourteen feet eight and one-half inches. Julius Brendjens and J. Baker attempted to cross the river in a skiff, and when within half a mile from shore the boat was capsized by a big wave. Brendjens was swept down by the swift current and drowned, but Baker was rescued.

#### Hunter Never Will Withdraw.

Frankfort, Ky., April 16.—Dr. Hunter's friends declare emphatically that their candidate has no idea of ever withdrawing from the senatorial contest. They add that he might do so if it were requested or suggested by the administration, but they have the best of reasons for believing no such action will be taken. The grand jury adjourned again last night without making any report on the attempted bribery charges. Three ballots were taken during the legislative session. Hunter got fifty-eight votes in the first and fifty-seven on each of the others. This left the nominee still two short of election.

#### Amended Mule Law Reported.

Des Moines, Iowa, April 16.—The manufacturing amendment to the mule law which passed the senate Wednesday was considered by the house committee on suppression of intemperance Thursday afternoon and agreed upon by a narrow majority of one vote. The bill will come up for discussion on the floor of the house next Wednesday.

#### Economy in the Navy.

Washington, April 16.—Secretary of the Navy Long has adopted a policy of economy in the navy. Hereafter all ships that come home from foreign service are to be repaired and laid up in ordinary. Vessels on the home station, which are most expensive when kept in commission, will also be laid up. This will not include battle ships. Secretary Long believes that this policy will materially lessen the expense of maintaining the navy.

## PASS BILL KILLED BY THE SENATORS

### HALL AMENDMENT DIES WITH- OUT DEBATE.

Adopt the Joint Resolution Calling For a Constitutional Convention and Recommend That All Pending Amendments Be Killed For That Reason.

Madison, Wis., April 16.—[Special]—Assemblyman Hall's anti-free pass amendment to the state constitution was killed by the senate this morning without debate. The senate also adopted a joint resolution calling for a constitutional convention to revise the constitution. Together with the resolution for a constitutional convention, the committee also reported the several amendments to the constitution now pending for killing, with the idea that the convention shall consider all of them.

The assembly passed the bill requiring all plumbers to pass an examination, after a short debate.

The McGrath bill providing for the erection of a state reformatory for youthful criminals, caused a prolonged debate in the assembly at the close of which the measure passed by an eye and nay vote.

#### Company Fights the Law.

Indianapolis, Ind., April 16.—The Citizens' Street Railroad Company refused to obey the 3-cent fare law, which went into effect Thursday morning. When the company learned the law was in force, Superintendent Elliott instructed conductors to refuse to receive 3-cent fares and to reject any passenger who refused to pay 5 cents, the usual fare. Patrons of the company all most invariably tendered 3 cents. When informed that the company would not accept that amount many paid 5 cents, but many citizens were indignant that the company should defy the law of the state, and refused to pay the fare demanded, whereupon they were ejected from the cars. Every time there was an incident of this kind large crowds would collect, and the authorities are surprised that there was not a serious conflict between citizens and employees of the company during the day. The matter is now in the courts.

#### Representative Holman Is Better.

Washington, April 16.—Representative Holman of Indiana, who has been ill with an attack of stomach trouble for the last ten days, is reported better. He is still weak, but is able to again take solid food. There is nothing alarming in his condition, though it will be some days before he can resume his duties at the capitol.

#### Five Men Badly Burned.

Pittsburg, Pa., April 16.—While tapping a blast at the Republic iron works the molten metal boiled over into a pit of water, causing an explosion. Five men were badly burned: Dennis Mahoney, recovery doubtful; James Reilly, recovery doubtful; Martin Kinski, Stanley Persovas, John Morton.

#### Indian Plague Is Decreasing.

Bombay, April 16.—There has been a great decrease in the virulence of the plague. Only 390 cases and 194 deaths from the disease occurred last week in this city, compared with 360 cases and 323 deaths during the preceding week.

#### Avon Levee May Break.

Greenville, Miss., April 16.—It was reported Thursday morning that the levee at Mound Lake, sixteen miles north, on the Mississippi side, had broken, but investigation showed the report without foundation. At Avon, fifteen miles south, the levee is in a dangerous condition, and a private message received here states that it might break at any moment.

#### British Government Is Alarmed.

New York, April 16.—The British government is greatly alarmed over the activity of Irish nationalists who are organizing throughout the United States for the centennial celebration in Dublin next year of the uprising of Ireland of 1798. Agents have been sent to this country to watch the progress of the movement.

#### Linsley, Ohio, Levelled by Fire.

Fremont, O., April 16.—Fire leveled the business portion of Linsley village, eight miles west of Fremont, on the Lake Shore, Thursday. The postoffice, the drug store, grocery, meat market and the new produce exchange building, town hall and G. A. R. hall burned.

#### Convicted of Wife Murder.

Georgetown, Del., April 16.—James M. Gordy was convicted of murder in the first degree for the killing of his wife, formerly Mrs. Mary Estelle Lewis of New York, by throwing her into the Broadkill river at Milton, Del.

#### Uncle Sam Says No.

London, April 16.—The Daily Telegraph has a dispatch from Vienna saying that the Austrian government has been informed that the United States declines to recognize the blockade of Crete.

#### Humphrey Bills Up To-day.

Springfield, Ill., April 16.—The Humphrey bills went to third reading in the Senate Thursday and will be considered on special order to-day.

## PAY HONORS TO VOORHEES

### Terre Haute and Indiana Citizens Attend the Funeral.

Terre Haute, Ind., April 16.—The funeral of ex-Senator Daniel W. Voorhees took place Thursday afternoon from St. Stephen's Episcopal church, Rev. John E. Sulger, the rector, officiating. During the two days the remains have been here, the funeral having been delayed, awaiting the arrival of the eldest son, Charles S. Voorhees of Spokane, Wash., they have lain in state in the parlors of the Terre Haute House.

In the afternoon all places of business in the central part of the city were closed and the public and private schools were dismissed. Senator Voorhees was a Mason, and the various Masonic lodges participated in the funeral exercises, while the city council and many civic and military organizations followed his remains to the grave in Highland Lawn cemetery.

Governor Mount, ex-Governor Matthews and many distinguished men from all over Indiana were present, while from the towns near by many delegations came. Among the honorary pallbearers were Colonel R. W. Thompson and W. R. McKeen.

## SPANISH LEAVE CUBA

### Evacuation of the Island Has Been Begun, According to Chicago Tribune Dispatch.

Chicago, April 16.—The special correspondent of the Tribune in Cuba sends the following:

Military Prison, Fortress of Cabanas, opposite Havana, Cuba, April 9.—It was reported that 450 sick and wounded soldiers were to be embarked for Spain Thursday, but the soldiers who embarked were all able-bodied men and there were no sick and wounded among them.

The story that they were invalids was a simple canard circulated as a ruse to cover the fact that the Spanish evacuation of Cuba has commenced. Weyler some days ago received instructions to begin the gradual withdrawal of his troops in as quiet a manner as possible.

## THE STATE IS RESPONSIBLE

### Must Maintain the Illinois University Under All Circumstances

Chicago, April 16.—Illinois is responsible to the federal government for the state university endowment fund which has been hypothecated by ex-Treasurer Spaulding. This endowment fund was originally received from the government by the state, and was then in the shape of lands. Before giving this fund the government required that the state agree to forever maintain it, and in case of its depreciation from any cause to make it good.

In accordance with the proposition made by the government to the state, the endowment fund was accepted. After a few years the lands became valuable and were sold. The proceeds from the sale of these lands, together with the interest, were invested in bonds. These bonds, amounting to \$418,810, were deposited with ex-Treasurer Spaulding, and are the ones hypothecated by him with Chicago banks.

Ex-Treasurer Spaulding's shortage will have to be made good by the state, and the investigation of the ex-treasurer begun by the board of trustees may be taken up by the state authorities. The trustees favor the investigation by the state.

The institution is absolutely destitute of money with which to pay its expenses after this week. Its affairs are certain to be involved in hopeless litigation. Students are likely to lose the tuition, for which many of them have paid in advance, teachers are threatened with loss of salaries and creditors are fearing the repudiation of their claims.

Treasurer Keith has abandoned hope of recovering the \$262,500 worth of bonds known to belong to the university and to be in the hands of Chicago banks. The receiver of the bank will refuse to turn over the \$124,000 worth of securities which complete the endowment fund of the university and are now in his possession.

Attorney Magee, counsel for the receiver, said that the university bonds would be treated as other assets and used for the benefit of the depositors.

As the affairs of the defunct bank are being probed the censure of the board of trustees becomes more severe. Gross neglect and incapacity is being openly charged. It is asserted that the trustees are false to their obligations in declining to cause the arrest of ex-Treasurer Spaulding under section 80 of the criminal code, which is said to directly cover this case.

#### Mrs. Theodore Tilton Dead.

New York, April 16.—Mrs. Elizabeth R. Tilton, wife of Theodore Tilton, who sued the late Henry Ward Beecher on a charge of alienating his wife's affections, died Tuesday night at her home in Pacific street, Brooklyn, of paralysis. Mrs. Tilton was stricken about a month ago. She rallied, however, until Wednesday of last week. She never recovered consciousness after the second stroke.

Mrs. Tilton had been living in retirement in the house of her widowed daughter since the Beecher trial. Her husband, Theodore Tilton, has been living in Paris since the Beecher trial. He has been notified of her death.

## GLENDALE MURDER COVERED BY CARS

### TRAIN'S AWFUL WORK CONCEALS A CRIME.

As Neither Watch Nor Money Were Found on Michael Mack's Person, the Authorities Think He Was Killed and the Body Placed on the Rails.

Glendale, Wis., April 16.—[Special] It is now believed that Michael Mack, who was ground to pieces by the cars last Wednesday, was murdered. That night he started home with two young men. He had considerable money and a fine gold watch. When found there was no money or watch on his person. Arrests may follow, as the police think they know who did the work.

#### Sectarian Instruction Is Upheld.

Madison, Wis., April 16.—At Thursday night's session of the senate Mr. Tucker's bill to prohibit sectarianism in the public schools was refused concurrence by a vote of 19 to 12.

## PRESBYTERIAN CONFERENCES

### Distinguished Representatives of the Church Meet at Chicago.

Chicago, April 16.—The executive commission of the Alliance of Reformed Churches of the World, under the Presbyterian system of government, opened its conference Thursday in the Church of the Covenant, Belden avenue and Halsted street. The conference was presided over by Rev. Dr. William Craven, principal of Knox College, Toronto, Canada, chairman of the western section of the commission.

The report of the treasurer, George Junkin of Philadelphia, showed that all the constituent churches of America in the alliance had paid their apportionments for the maintenance of its work, and that the financial condition was far more prosperous than at any time in the history of the organization.

Invitations for the next meeting of the council were received from the Reformed churches of Reading, Pa., and from the Ministerial Association of St. Louis. As the meetings of the commission are held alternately in the east and in the west, it was decided to accept the invitation to Reading. The commission resolved to have fixed dates for its semi-annual meetings, and chose the Thursday after the second Sabbath of April and the last Thursday in October as those dates.

The committee on the basis of representation in the next council, to be held in 1900, to which was also remitted the question of the apportionment of expenses, was heard, but was directed to report more fully at the meeting in Reading next April.

#### Set Fires for Revenge.

Kansas City, Mo., April 16.—Conclusive proof that at least one or two of Wednesday night's fires were started by incendiaries was developed in the finding of kerosene-saturated rags in the ruins. The aggregate loss on the different buildings will amount to but \$75,000, with insurance of about two-thirds that amount. The general opinion among business men is that the gamblers of the city are responsible for the fires, and acted in a spirit of revenge against the newly appointed board of police commissioners and Chief of Police Vallins, who been pushing a crusade against all evil-doers.

#### British Battleship Near Athens.

Athens, April 16.—The British first-class battleship Nile has arrived at Phaleron, near the Piraeus.

In the chamber of deputies the premier, M. Delyannis, replying to a question on the subject, said that merely semi-official negotiations had been commenced between Turkey and Greece on the subject of Crete. He denied that any power had attempted to prevent a direct agreement being reached between the two countries. The bill granting the government a credit of 23,000,000 drachmas (\$4,600,000) for the ministries of war and marine then passed its first reading.

#### Missouri Gets No Land.

Washington, April 16.—Secretary Bliss of the interior department has nullified the order of his predecessor, former Secretary Francis of Missouri, giving 48,000 acres of land to the State University of Missouri. The gift was contemplated as an addition to the endowment fund of the university. Objection was made by Kansas on the ground that it, too, should be allowed the same privilege, and Mr. Bliss, in canceling the order, took the same attitude.

#### Anti-Corporation Measure Passed.

Austin, Texas, April 16.—The senate has approved some drastic anti-corporation legislation by the passage of a bill taxing life insurance companies 2 per cent annual tax on their gross earnings and fire and fidelity companies 1 per cent. It also taxes dining and sleeping cars 10 cents for every 100 miles traveled. The bill also provides a franchise tax of \$50 on all foreign corporations with a capital stock of \$100,000, and \$1 for every \$10,000 additional capital stock.

#### Dr. Barnard's Condition Serious.

Hartford, Conn., April 16.—The condition of Dr. Henry Barnard, known as the "father of American education," is unchanged. There seems to be no immediate danger of death.



## NEWS OF THE COUNTY IN A LINE OR TWO

### WHAT HAS HAPPENED ROUND ABOUT US.

Orfordville People Saw a Right Lively Runaway, and the New Store Is Going Up Rapidly—The Week At Milton—Some Johnstown Center Gossip.

Orfordville, April 16—Things were lively in the neighborhood of the creamery on Thursday morning of last week. While M. D. Beebe was emptying his cans his team became frightened at some unusual noise on the inside of the building and ran away scattering milk, cans and Mr. Beebe promiscuously about. Finally running into the wagon of J. E. Egan. This frightened Mr. Egan's team and for a time it was a tie as to which team could run the fastest. The matter was finally concluded by one of Mr. Egan's horse running against a large maple tree in T. O. Brown's yard. Mr. Beebe's buggy was badly demolished and one of Mr. Egan's horses sustained injury.

Robert Slidel, who has been in the employ of John Beck has completed his engagement and expects to return to his home in Milwaukee in a few days.

Chris Hanson of Beloit, spent Sunday at Orfordville.

Richard Egan, who is teaching shorthand and bookkeeping at the high school, spent Saturday and Sunday at home.

William Michaels of Belmont, Wis., visited his brother, Herman, last week.

George Scott is dangerously sick with pneumonia.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Hlgard on Monday, a son. All doing well.

Mrs. Minerva Denning of Janesville returned to her home on Saturday, after a two weeks visit with Orfordville friends.

E. Tollefsen has begun work on the foundation of his new dwelling as has A. N. Brunsold also.

T. O. Wee of Beloit, is spending a few days at Orfordville, looking after his farm interests.

The John Kelley farm a part of the John Kelley Sr. estate was sold by Administrator Caradine to N. K. Hlgard on the 9 inst.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Inman of the town of Plymouth, celebrated their fiftieth anniversary on Saturday, the 16th inst.

Master James and Miss Mable Taylor entertained company from Beloit on Sunday.

M. K. Hamblitt is confined to the house, nursing a cut foot.

B. J. Taylor went to Chicago with three carloads of stock on Monday evening.

The newly elected town officers are now at the head of town affairs.

Attorney Daws of Brodhead, transacted legal business in the village on Tuesday.

An infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Rismud died on Wednesday, the 7th instant.

Easter service will be observed in an appropriate manner at the Methodist church next Sabbath.

Mrs. Grieve and family who moved to this place about a year ago from Milwaukee have returned to that city.

Annual moving time is at hand. Joseph Grenwalt is moving into the B. F. Gifford house, Oscar Dierdorf into the James Langdon house and Mrs. Caroline Gavey is about to move back to the old homestead.

Miss Jennie Day is suffering from a severely sprained ankle.

The work on the Osgard & Peterson store building is progressing rapidly. The building is ready for the masons. Jno. Wall, of Albany will do the mason work.

### A WEEK'S HAPPENINGS AT MILTON.

News Notes of Various Kinds Gathered by the Gazette-Scribe.

(THE GAZETTE AGENCY, W. W. CLARK, Manager, Milton, Wis., April 19, 1897)

Early in March the Senior class of Milton college, closed a contract with the Sherwood Concert Troupe of Chicago, to furnish vocal and instrumental music at the Senior concert on the evening of Commencement day, in June, and two numbers at the graduation exercises in the forenoon. The class have since proceeded to complete other necessary arrangements in accordance with this contract, which had no stated or implied withdrawal by either party. Five days since the class were greatly surprised to receive word from this troupe that they had made an engagement to appear at the Chautauqua Assembly, N. Y., on the same day of the Commencement of the college, that they had cancelled their contract with the class, and that they would send a string quartette in their place. The seniors at once replied that they could not consent to dissolve the contract, that the substitution would not be satisfactory and requested that they be compensated, in case the troupe persisted in refusing to come, for their extra labor and expense in securing another company, if one suitable could now be found. In response the "Sherwoods" write, "consider the contract recalled" and refuse flatly to compensate the class.

Fred Lee Glenn, M. D., of 2391 Indiana avenue, Chicago, Ill., and Miss Georgia Richardson of Alpha, Iowa, were married Wednesday afternoon by President W. C. Whitford, at his residence in this village. Dr. Glenn's parents, Albert M. and Carrie A. Glenn, reside in Janesville; and those of the bride, William E. and Ellen J. Paul Richardson in the town of Fredericksburg, Iowa. Both have been students

of Milton College, where the former was graduated in 1892, and afterwards completed his medical studies in the College of Physicians and Surgeons in Chicago. He returns at once with his wife to that city, to continue the practice which he has established the past year.

Dennis C. Burdick of Janesville, was a visitor in the village Wednesday. Dr. R. H. Stetson of Lima, shook hands with Milton friends Wednesday. Richard Dixon and daughter, who have been living here for some time, have returned to farm life in Lima.

W. H. Walworth has traded his meat business in this village to H. C. Saunders for the farm owned by the latter at Pocahontas, Iowa. Mr. W. will run the market for the present. Mesdames Irish and Huffman returned to their home at Farina, Ill., Thursday.

"As many coats on as an onion" is the latest saying of a "weary Willie" who was over supplied with wearing apparel.

Rev. D. B. Ooon, who graduated from Milton college in the class of '91 has accepted a call to the pastorate of the Farina, Ill., Seventh day Baptist church.

Rev. C. G. Chambers attended the Congregational ministerial conference at Beloit this week.

W. J. McCord of Lima, transacted business here Tuesday.

Mrs. S. A. Rogers is visiting friends at Hebron and her daughter, Miss Grace, is teaching at Richmond.

Mrs. J. G. Bond and Miss A. A. Reynolds, were guests at "St. Charles" Milwaukee, one day this week.

U. G. Miller shipped two cars of sheep from this station Wednesday night.

Mrs. Robert Skinner and children of Madison, have been visiting Mrs. C. B. Smith, this week.

J. B. Borden is at home from the University Law School to spend the Easter vacation.

Miss Charlotte Thomas of Cleveland, Ohio, is the guest of her uncle, A. B. Lee.

The distinguished Journalist who edits "Ezra's" organ at Milton Junction has our thanks for his courteous comments which appeared this week.

Olem W. Crumb shipped eggs for hatching to California this week.

Farmers are getting anxious for dry warm weather that will permit them to begin their spring work.

The Iduna Lyceum served a "B" supper at the college building Thursday evening, and it was an enjoyable affair.

### Glenn-Richardson.

At Milton Wednesday afternoon, April 14th, Rev. W. C. Whitford, professor of Milton college united in marriage Dr. F. D. Glenn of Chicago and Miss Georgia Richardson of Fredericksburg, Iowa, both having been students at the college for many years, the doctor graduating in the class of '92.

The doctor is now located in Chicago, where he has lucrative practice, and is also instructor in the west side post graduate school and hospital. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Richardson.

of Iowa but for the past four years has made Milton her home most of the time. When not in school her home was with her grandmother, Mrs. Harriet Paul. She is a bright intelligent young lady, with pleasing manners and will make a good helpmeet for the man of her choice. The young couple left this morning on the vestibule for Chicago their future home. They will reside at 2391 Indiana street.

### Johnstown Center News.

Johnstown Center, April 16—One of our most respected citizens Willis Fellows, has sold his home and is now about to start a general merchandise store. We all hope he will have good luck and prosper. Henry Dunbar has purchased Willis Fellow's home.

The Ladies Aid society met at Mrs. Frank D. Hall's Wednesday, April 14. Miss Jane Randall has returned to the town of Center once more to reside with Mrs. Frank Randall. John Mc Mullen left Wednesday morning to start for Pennsylvania. James Skinner of Evanston, Ill., is visiting his niece Mrs. F. Randall. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mawhinney and daughter, Sarah, visited at George Mawhinney's Sunday April 11. School began the 5th of this month with Margaret Mullen as teacher. Almira Randall is moving down on the prairie near the farm owned by himself and Mrs. F. Randall.

### MAN WHO WAS SHOT HERE

Davis Bowen of Brodhead, Visits Janesville Friends.

Davis Bowen of Brodhead, who was accidentally shot in the leg while hunting in South Dakota, and who, since March 5, has been on a bed in Asbury Hospital, Minneapolis, arrived in the city yesterday and was met at the train by a number of his Janesville friends. He now gets around with the aid of a pair of crutches. While hunting Mr. Bowen accidentally fell and the gun he carried was discharged, the load of shot entering his left leg.

### Wrecked and Racked

By the pangs of rheumatism, the joints eventually become grievously distorted, and sometimes assume an almost grotesque deformity. To prevent such results by a simple and agreeable means is certainly the part of wisdom. A tendency to rheumatic ailments may be successfully combated with Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, a medicine with the prestige of a long and successful career, of unbounded popularity, and of emphatic professional endorsement. It removes from the blood those inflammatory impurities which pathologists assign as the cause of rheumatism, and not only purifies the blood, but enriches it, promoting vigor by fertilizing its source. Digestion, the action of the bowels and the secretion of the bile are aided by it, and it impels the kidneys and bladder to a regular and active performance of their functions. It is besides a thoroughly reliable remedy for, and means of preventing, periodic fevers.

## MR. WHEELER'S BILL PASSED YESTERDAY

### STATE GEOLOGICAL SURVEY IS FAVORED.

Plan to Show Up the Resources of Wisconsin Goes Through By a Large Majority—Bill Creating a Board of Fire and Police Commissioners Concurred By Senate.

Assemblyman Wheeler's bill for a natural history investigation of Wisconsin's resources and for a geological survey of the state was passed by a vote of 65 to 14 in the assembly yesterday. The object of this bill is to show the natural advantages of Wisconsin to the world and the measure has been warmly commended by both press and people.

As Janesville is a "city of the third class" local people are much interested in Mr. Welton's bill to provide for boards of fire and police commissioners in cities of the second and third class, and which was finally passed under suspension of the rules yesterday. The bill was drawn up by the Chiefs of Police of the state, at the meeting held two years ago at La Crosse. Yesterday, Mr. Barnum opposed the bill. He assailed the civil service system, and said that every move in that direction was a move to reinstate the king; it was a move toward absolutism, and it fastened upon the necks of the people the chronic officeholders.

Mr. Cassin offered an amendment to the bill to except from its provisions the cities of Stevens Point, Madison and Wausau. The amendment was defeated by a vote of 38 to 10. Messrs. Buckstaff, Ray and Tucker made short speeches in favor of the bill. On motion of the latter the rules were suspended by a vote of 5 to 17, the following voting in the negative, Barnum, Bechtel, Bullard, Burnham, Cashin, Edward, Friick, Froelich, Gawin, Lange, Maertz, Minch, Plummer, Polachock, Sweeting, Thompson and Wippeman. The bill was then concurred in by a vote of 40 to 16.

Bills introduced by Rock county members were disposed of as follows:

Passed: No. 393A. Mr. Wheeler—For an investigation of the natural resources of the state.

No. 544. Mr. Wheeler—Relating to water power.

Concurred in: No. 1738. Mr. Whitehead—Relating to highways and bridges.

Killed: No. 416A. Mr. Flagg—To prevent combinations between fire insurance companies.

No. 391A. Mr. Wheeler—Relating to abstracts of title.

Rock County Bull Chosen

One of H. C. Taylor's Jerseys Will Head the Iowa Herd

Rock county gains credit from the fact that a Rock county animal has been selected to head the Jersey herd at the Iowa Agricultural College. Prof. C. F. Curtiss looked through herds east and west and at last found what suited him in the herd of H. C. Taylor, Orfordville. The Breeders' Gazette says:

"The bull's name is Spree 31698 and he has for sire the handsome Combination bull Chromo, that was in service in the Jersey test barn at the Columbian then at Billing's Farm and now has a home at the Hood farm. It may be said that nineteen out of the twenty-five cows in tests No. 2 and 3 were bred to Chromo. He is a son of Diploma by Combination and is dam is Broadway, 18 lbs. 10 oz., and three times first at the Iowa State Fair.

She unites the blood of Stoke Pogis 3d, Victor Hugo and Signal. The dam of Spree is Spark 67680, that has made 20 pounds three ounces of butter in seven days, and is the dam of Sparta, that has a record of twenty-one pounds five ounces. She carries the blood of Rioter 2d (sire of Eutours) along with that of Mercury and Combination through her sire, John Rioter, which is a grandson of Combination through his dam. Through her dam Daretta, seventeen pounds eight ounces, Spark acquires the blood of Upright, the sire of Costa Rica that produced Merry Maiden, the Columbian champion over all breeds. Indeed, Daretta is full sister to Costa Rica, whose test of 51 lbs. 6 1/2 oz. is reported in this issue from Hood Farm. It thus appears that Spree is by the bull that was a great favorite in the Jersey barn at the Columbian and his granddam is full sister to the cow that produced the champion of the test. Evidently Prof. Curtiss has not searched in vain for a sire for the college herd. That a bull so strongly bred in the Combination blood should be selected is another significant tribute to the popularity of this strain."

Attention, Patriarchal Circle. All members of Bower City Temple No. 3, Patriarchal Circle, are hereby notified to be at their hall on Sunday morning, April 18, at 10 o'clock, in full uniform to attend divine services at All Souls church. All members of the Golden Band and all visiting members are also invited to be present.

### B. F. BLANCHARD, Worthy Oracle.

J. FRED HUTCHINSON, Secretary.

When a cold is contracted, cure it at once. One Minute Cough Cure will set you on the road to recovery in a minute. It will cure pneumonia, bronchitis, croup and all forms of lung and throat troubles. O. D. Stevens.

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## A DAY'S NEWS IN THE TOWN.

Good Friday.

CHAUNCEY STEVENS is better.

ALFRED McDUGAL is quite ill.

This was a nice day—for duck shooters.

Go to Rudolph for butter at 13 cents per pound.

Rock River Encampment, I. O. O. F. meets tonight.

OLIVE Branch Lodge A. O. U. W. meets this evening.

This is the regular meeting night for the Good Templars.

HENRY JARVIS is sick at his home on West Milwaukee street.

Eggs still low in price at Sanborn's, 8 cents a dozen all we ask.

PURE Ohio maple sugar only 12 1/2 cents a pound. Sanborn.

SERVICES will be held at the Episcopal churches this evening.

THE Y. M. C. A. band will rehearse at the new building this evening.

A CAR load of Rex, the best of all patent flour, just arrived at Winslow's.

A FINE faucet 5 gallon oil can filled with gasoline complete for \$1. Sanborn.

GIVE us a call for choice butter. Only 13 cents per pound. Paul Rudolph.

FINEST dairy butter in the city only 13 cents a pound, by the jar. Paul Rudolph.

BOWER City Temple Patriarchal Circle will attend service at All Souls church on Sunday.

THE University glee and banjo clubs will appear at the Myers Grand on Monday evening.

If you want the best wearing ladies kid glove you ever had for a dollar, go to T. P. Burns.

A LITTLE money makes the feet look wonderfully well. See Richardson's spring shoe collection.

THE Ladies Aid society of the Presbyterian church met at the church parlors this afternoon.

Mrs. T. L. BEALLE, who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. S. H. Wilbur has returned home.

MISS MAUD BEAR is temporarily serving as cashier at the Boston store, Miss Gibbs being sick.

EVERY body is buying garden seeds these days. Be sure and get the best. Landreth's are always reliable. Sanborn.

AN "Experience social" will be given at the Sunday school room at the Court Street M. E. church this evening.

MISS HELEN JEFFRIS, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Jeffris, entertained twenty-eight of her young friends Wednesday afternoon, in honor of her fifth birthday.

NEXT Monday is the regular pay day of the stockholders of the Loan, Savings and Building association. Office of the secretary at the Rock county bank. Open from 7 to 9 p. m.

THE Culture club of All Souls church will meet with Mr. and Mrs. James Harris this evening. "An hour with Henry D. Thoreau" will be the topic, and Miss Jessie Inman will be the leader.

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THE BIG STORE 20, 22, 24, 26 S. MAIN ST. JANESVILLE, WIS.

WE KEEP THE QUALITY UP



### There are Belts And Belts—

But when it comes to the most complete line of BELTS in these diggings, right here is the place to see everything. We show lovely novelties in METAL and DRESS DEN GOLD effects at 50c, 75c, 85c, \$1.25, \$1.75.

### At 9 Cents—

a large assortment in all widths and colors.

### At 25 Cents—

the very best values we have ever shown. Green, Red, Tan, Orange, White, Brown, Two Tone, Black, Patent Leather and imitation Seal and Alligator, etc. Plain and fancy leather. Others at 30c, 35c, 40c, 50c, 65c, 75c, including real seal, genuine moose, key and swell novelties. Bicycle Belts with pocket.

### Bags—

No time in our history could we offer better things in leather and cloth, small and large, in several shapes. New are the small novelty leather Chatelaines; greens, browns, etc.

### Purses—

Late arrivals have made our stock unusually complete—5c gets better ones than you'd think. \$1.00 buys excellent ones, well made, good stock and colors; 25c for many surprises, and a full range of prices to \$2.00. We easily lead.



### Winter May Linger In the Lay of Spring

but Summer will surely come. You will want these dainty ORGANDIES and natty DIMITIES by and by, and you will want them in a hurry. You had better take them now. You gain nothing by waiting; they are fresher now. They will be no cheaper then. The prettiest styles will be gone soon. Everything favors your buying now.

### 300 Pieces of Cotton Dress Stuffs

received Friday—Just at hand another large shipment of the extra fine 36-inch 12 1/2c PER-CALES—by far the largest line of them in Southern Wisconsin.

### Carpets are Having A Lively Run==

We show a very complete stock. It will pay you to buy while they are low—NOW. ARTSQUARES room size velvet and Smyras Rugs; Straw Mattings are selling freely.

### Underskirts \$1.00—

Bought about 150 Mohair Skirts, rows of satin stripes around the bottom, good liberal sizes. Excellent for spring and summer wear. The price means quick selling.

### Agents for McCall Bazar Patterns.

All 10c and 15c. No better made. Sale increasing steadily. Women like them. Call and get the May fashion sheet. McCall Bazar Dressmaker, 20c.

## More Bread

Turned out of our ovens every day than any other bakery in the city. It's better Bread too. That's why we sell so much.

### OUR CREAM BREAD

leads them all, and the ever famous QUAKER holds its own. Our wagons pass your door daily. Hand out a card or call at the bakery.

### WEST SIDE BAKERY.

161 W. Milwaukee St.

..PAUL GEHRKE, Prop..

## No Fooling About Meat.

Your daily order is safe with Kammer if you want

A STEAK, A CHOP, A ROAST, A BOILING piece. Our wagons take your orders every morning. All you do is telephone 219. We do the rest.

## WM. KAMMER,

Corner Western and Center Ave

Telephone 219.

F. B. M. COUPONS accepted on all cash purchases. William Kammer.

## 'Tis Better,

If possible, than ever, that delicious

## Northern Dairy Butter

We are selling great quantities. It comes twice a week and always gives great satisfaction wherever used.

Send your order early.

## NOLAN BROS.

153 W. Milwaukee St.

'Phone 172.

## CITY COAL YARD

All grades of Anthracite Hard Coal Cannel Coal, Hocking Valley Coal, Wilmington Lump Smokeless Coal, Best Pokahontas, Dry Pine Slabs, Dry Oak Slabs, Kindling Wood for summer use.

Call and see us—cheap for cash.



# THE OVERFLOW OF LOCAL NEWS.

## NEWS NOTES FROM BELOIT

Lodge of Knights of the Globe Is Formed  
—Other Gossip.

Beloit, Wis., April 16—[Special]—A lodge of the Knights of the Globe was instituted here by A. A. Krause of Freeport, who was assisted in the ceremonies by a drilled team from the Freeport Garrison. Lucius Fairchild Garrison was adopted as a name in honor of one of Wisconsin's famous generals and governors. The local Garrison starts out with something over fifty members.

Debate At Galesburg.

Beloit, Wis., April 16—[Special]—The first of a series of inter-collegiate debates between western colleges will occur at Galesburg, Ill., this evening, between representatives of Beloit and Knox colleges. Messrs. A. E. Cutler of Rockford, N. K. Welch of Beloit and J. W. Jordan of Brimfield, Ill., will represent Beloit college.

Inspect Electrical Wires.

Beloit, Wis., April 16—[Special]—Beloit electrical apparatus wires, etc., will be inspected next week by Mr. Wentworth with a view to securing a reduction in insurance rates.

Military Men Come Here.

Beloit, Wis., April 16—[Special]—Beloit will be represented at the First Regiment W. N. G. officers' meeting soon to be held at Janesville by Capt. Tom J. Rogers, Lieut. Johnson, Steele and ex-Lieut. Haynes.

THIRTY years is a long time to fight so painful a trouble as piles, but Jacob Mitchell, of Unionville, Pa., struggled that long before he tried De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve, which quickly and permanently cured him. It is equally effective in eczema and all skin affections. C. D. Stevens.

## CAUGHT THE WHALE.

Three Hours of Hard Fighting Brought Victory to the Fishermen.

"There she blows!" That was the cry heard through Amagansett, L. I., a few mornings ago. The signal flag of red was run up and was quickly responded to by the crews belonging to the whaling boats along the shore between East Hampton and Amagansett, says the New York Journal. Lately whales have appeared in this vicinity, and numerous attempts have been made to catch one, but without success. Two were again sighted that morning opposite Amagansett and five boats were soon in hot pursuit. The whales were about one and a half miles off shore. After an exciting chase until noon one of the captains got close enough to the largest whale to harpoon him. He was opposite Napeague life-saving station when struck and the men soon had three lines attached to him. Then began an exciting battle between the men and the sea monster. Time and again the whale attempted to carry the men out on the ocean, and repeatedly the whalers would stab him with the harpoon. It was dangerous sport, and to the onlookers from the beach it seemed as though the boats would be wrecked every time the whale rose to the surface. He made savage lunges with his tail, lashing the water to a foam and spouting to a great height. After three hours' hard fighting the whale showed signs of weakening and began to spout blood in the air. At 4:30 o'clock the crew succeeded in landing the whale on the beach. He measured forty-five feet and will probably make forty barrels of oil. The captors expect to realize a very large sum for him. The unusual sight drew crowds to the beach from neighboring villages and the hotels and livery stables made preparations for a grand rush of visitors the next day.

OUR free skin stand runs every day. We have a good operator. Richardson's.

## FACTS WITH POINTS.

Every One of These Statements Absolutely True.

Mr. A. W. Sharper, 61 Prospect St., Indianapolis, Ind., says: "Gratitude prompts me to write that Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets completely cured me of Nervous Dyspepsia from which I had suffered for the last four years. I had tried many remedies without results, but am now cured and have gained in flesh, sleep well and have none but words of praise for Stuart's Tablets."

Mrs. Sarah A. Skeels, Lynnville, Iowa: "It has been six months since I took Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets and am fully cured. Have not had a particle of distress or difficulty since. This is in the face of the fact that I had suffered from stomach trouble for twenty-five years and was pronounced incurable by the doctors."

James Newmestres, Eau Claire, Wis., says: "Two 50 cent packages of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets did me more good than any remedy I had ever before tried. They hit the spot with me and I once more have an appetite and can eat what I please without fear of distress and bloating afterward."

Dr. Harlandson relates the case of Miss Helen Sholes, of Nashville, who was cured of dyspepsia and gained 18 pounds in weight after suffering from stomach trouble for eight years. The doctor uses them in all stomach troubles because they are not a secret patent medicine, but contain pure pepsin, Diastase, fruit acids and valuable digestives, which digest the food whether the stomach works or not, gives it the needed rest and a cure is the natural result.

Dr. Jennison says nine-tenths of disease is caused by indigestion and Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets is the safest and best cure, because they are not a secret patent medicine, but contain the valuable digestive principles needed by every weak stomach and a whole box would not hurt a child, being absolutely harmless.

All druggists sell Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets at 50 cents per package.

Send to Stuart Co., Marshall, Mich., for little book on symptoms and treatment of stomach troubles.

## THE BLIND GIRL HAS FAITH

Thinks Her Sight Will Be Restored If She Believes.

"I believe there is a God and that by trying the faith cure I may be able to see again," said a little eight year old Dollie Homelstein of Brodhead, as she patiently waited for a train at the St. Paul depot yesterday. The little girl, who was in charge of an elderly lady, has been blind since birth. She has consulted numerous skilled oculists but now believes that only faith can cure her, and she was going to Milwaukee to try it.

## THE PROGRAM FOR TONIGHT

GOOD Templars.  
Y. M. C. A. band rehearsal.  
CULTURE club of All Souls church.  
OLIVE Branch Lodge, A. O. U. W.  
ROCK River Encampment, I. O. O. F.  
SERVICES at the Episcopal churches.  
"EXPERIENCE social" at the Court Street M. E. church Sunday School rooms.

## UNCLE SAM'S SALE.

Annual Disposal of the Accumulations of the Dead-Letter Office.

One of the queerest "institutions" of the national capital is the annual clearance sale of the dead-letter office, in which a vast accumulation of articles gone astray in the mails is sold to the highest bidder. The auction house where it is held is continually crowded with excited men, women and children during the holidays as havens of rest, for when Uncle Sam goes into the junkshop business great things are expected. As in the church fair raffle you pay a small amount of money and trust to luck to get back more than its value. The articles, previously listed in a wholesale sort of a way, are tied up in bundles of from three to a half dozen and "auctioned" for what they will bring, the average bids ranging between 10 cents and \$1. Nobody is permitted to examine the goods before purchasing and no money is refunded to the dissatisfied. Everybody hopes to pull a genuine plum from the pie in the shape of a diamond ring, a silk dress pattern or a silver teapot and although comparative blanks are the rule there is always the possibility of a prize. For example, the auctioneer holds up one of these odd-shaped bundles, listed "pictures, underwear, music, cigars." Going—going—gone for 90 cents to a dapper young gentleman, who was caught by the word "cigar."

He opens it on the spot—an unwise thing to do if one objects to good-natured ridicule—and this is what he finds: Six cigars broken into bits, with so strong an odor that one wonders how a sledge-hammer could have done it; underwear, pictures—a collection of newspaper cuts designed for amusement of some small child. The lot would be dear at a quarter and is of no use to the buyer. In the dead-letter office proper—that channel house which swallows nearly 500,000 missives every month—it is positively harrowing. More than forty bushels of photographs have accumulated there awaiting the annual cremation. There are tresses of hair enough to stuff a dozen mattresses, grandmother's silver locks and babies' golden curls, many no doubt cut from dead brows, and small sums of money which poor workmen send home to feed their wives and little ones and servant girls save from their scanty wages for needy parents—gone to Uncle Sam's rich purse, not because the United States wants it, but because the senders' writing or orthography was beyond mortal ken. It is hard to realize that in this land of schools at the close of the nineteenth century there are so many people so ignorant or so careless as to send several millions of letters a year without stamps or addresses or with addresses which no man can make out. People seem to be so intent on what goes into the letters that they forget all about the superscription.

## Death Masks.

Lawrence Hunter, the New York writer, has presented to Princeton University his collection of death masks, numbering sixty copies, and probably the largest collection of its sort in existence. Several of the masks are the only ones of the subject, among them masks of Dean Swift and Thackeray. The countenances are reproduced in these masks of Washington, Lincoln, Daniel Webster, Henry Clay, John C. Calhoun, General Sherman, Aaron Burr; the actors David Garrick, Edmund Kean, Lawrence Barrett, John McCullough, Dion Boucault, and Harry Edwards; Martin Luther, Goethe, Beethoven, Mendelssohn, Hayden; Mary Queen of Scots, Queen Elizabeth, Charles II., Frederick the Great, Frederick William IV., Napoleon, Napoleon III., Mirabeau, Robespierre, Marat; Sir Thomas More, Oliver Cromwell, Robert Bruce; Burke, Scott, Newton, Sheridan, Keats, Coleridge, Laurence Sterne, Wordsworth, Burns. The collection will have a place in the university library now being built.

Croup and whooping cough are children's terrors; but like pneumonia, bronchitis and other throat and lung troubles can be quickly cured by using One Minute Cough Cure. C. D. Stevens.

ANY kind of tin work. Lowell.

## JANESVILLE MARKET PRICES.

Quotations On Grain And Produce as Reported For The Gazette.

The following figures show the range of prices in the local market.  
Wheat—Good to best Patent, \$1.10 to \$1.25 per bushel.  
BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—25c per 10 lb. sack.  
WHEAT—Fair to best quality, 65¢ to 70¢.  
BUCKWHEAT—30¢ to 35¢ per 10 lb. sack.  
BARLEY—40¢ to 45¢ per 10 lb. sack.  
OATS—Old, 18¢ to 20¢; new, per 75 lbs., 14¢ to 15¢.  
CORN—white, 13¢ to 15¢.  
SWEET CORN—30¢ to 35¢ per bushel.  
TIMOTHY SEED—80¢ to \$1.00 per bushel.  
HAY—Per ton, \$7.00 to \$7.50.  
STRAW—40¢ to \$5.00 per ton.  
MEAL—50¢ per 100 lbs. Bolted \$1.00.  
WHEAT—30¢ to 35¢ per 100 lbs. \$10.00 per ton.  
BEAN—45¢ per 100 lbs.; \$3.00 per ton.  
MIDDLINGS—50¢ per 100, \$3.00 per ton.  
SOYABEANS—20¢ to 25¢ per bushel.  
BUTTER—16¢ to 18¢.  
EGGS—17¢ to 18¢ per dozen.  
POULTRY—Turkeys, 9¢ to 10¢ chickens, 6¢ to 7¢.  
WOOL—11¢ to 14¢ for washed; 8¢ to 11¢ for unwashed.  
HIDES—Green, 5¢ to 6¢; dry, 8¢ to 9¢.  
FELTS—Range at 15¢ to 45¢ each.

Not only acute lung troubles, which may prove fatal in a few days, but old chronic coughs and throat troubles may receive immediate relief and be permanently cured by One Minute Cough Cure. C. D. Stevens.

South Dakota in Springtime is clothed with verdure green and spotted with beautiful blue and white prairie flowers, tokens of luxuriant soil like that fair country to which Moses led the children of Israel in ancient times.

And like unto that land of plenty, South Dakota outvalues its sister states of the east in the products of its soil, sown, cultivated and harvested in less time and with greater ease than in any other portion of the United States.

And so we say unto you that now is the opportunity of a lifetime to "Go west and buy a farm." For descriptive lists and prices, address Geo. H. Heafford, G. P. A., Chicago, Ill.

UNCONDITIONAL surrender is the only terms these famous little pills known as De Witt's Little Early Risers will make with constipation, sick headache and stomach troubles. C. D. Stevens.

## The Hot Springs

located in the Black Hills of South Dakota have wonderful medicinal properties for the cure of rheumatism, neuralgia, and kindred ailments, and should be investigated by all suffering from such troubles. First class hotel accommodations and baths. Tourist tickets on sale daily and especially low rates on the first and third Tuesdays of each month. Full information furnished on application to ticket agents C. & N. W. R'y.

PERSONAL—The gentleman who annoyed the congregation last Sunday by continually coughing will find instant relief by using One Minute Cough Cure, a speedy and harmless remedy for throat and lung troubles. C. D. Stevens.

Very Low Rate Excursions to the West and South.

On March 16, April 6 and 20, the Northwestern line will sell Home Seeker's excursion tickets, with favorable time limits to numerous points in the West and South at exceptionally low rates. For tickets and full information apply to agents Chicago & Northwestern Railway.

It should be made a matter of public knowledge that De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve will speedily cure piles of the longest standing. It is the household favorite for burns, scalds, cuts, bruises and sores of all kinds. C. D. Stevens.

If the Baby Is Cutting Teeth Be sure and use that old and well tried remedy Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup, for children teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind, colic, and is the best remedy for diarrhoea. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

## LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—Fox terrier two months old with two black spots. Finder will be rewarded by leaving same at 221 South Main St. J. H. Dower.

## FOR RENT.

FOR RENT Seven-room house on Cornelia 2d ward. Enquire at 158 Cornelia St. In good repair. Nicely located.

FOR RENT Seven room house, city water, corner Academy and Holmes street. Enquire at 152 Cherry street.

## FOR SALE.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Blickensderfer type-writer. Writes 84 characters. Cost \$35; small machine to be used on common desk; weighs six pounds; used by Western Union Telegraph Company as standard machine for operators. Owner has no further use for it, and will sell cheap or trade. Address "Typewriter," this office, or call.

FOR SALE, Cheap—Elegant surrey, good as new. D. W. Watt.

FOR SALE—Look at this! One of the finest modern style homes in the city. Furnace, hot and cold water, gas, water for bath rooms; in fact, complete in every respect, and offered at \$200 less than actual cost, if taken soon. D. Conger.

FOR SALE—Several new modern style homes, from \$1,800 to \$2,500, on easy terms. Now is your time to buy before the spring rush. D. Conger.

FOR SALE—New Royal sewing machine a bit price. Call at 29 South Main St. J. P. Thompson, with Walter Helms.

FOR SALE Two boilers suitable for factory work. Inquire at this office.

MONEY TO LOAN—Whitehead, Matheson & Smith.

## WANTED.

If you have any odd jobs of work to be done telephone or drop us a postal and we will send a good man. Valentine Bros.

# Lowell Is Still at It...

## Hardware, Stoves, Tin.

## Business Strictly. Nothing More; Nothing Less.

## He is a Saver of Money for buyers.

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## THE RAILROAD TIME-TABLES

Chicago & Northwestern	LEAVE FOR	ARRIVE FROM
Chicago Via Clinton	6:40 a.m.	8:30 p.m.
Chicago Via Clinton & Shawano	7:25 a.m.	8:35 p.m.
Chicago Via Clinton & Sharon	12:40 p.m.	12:40 p.m.
Chicago Via Clinton & Sharon	7:20 p.m.	12:40 a.m.
Chicago Via Beloit & Hart	7:30 a.m.	6:30 a.m.
Chicago Via Beloit & Hart	2:10 p.m.	11:35 a.m.
Beloit, DeKalb & Omaha line	12:25 p.m.	10:45 a.m.
Beloit, Rockford, Freeport, & Elgin	7:30 p.m.	10:35 p.m.
Watertown, Fond Du Lac & Oshkosh	7:00 a.m.	12:15 p.m.
Watertown, Fond Du Lac & Oshkosh	12:45 p.m.	10:40 p.m.
Watertown & Juneau Freight	4:00 p.m.	7:30 a.m.
Watertown	8:40 p.m.	7:50 a.m.
Evansville, Brookfield, Oregon, Madison, Elroy, La Crosse, Winona & points in Minn. & Dak.	6:30 a.m.	.....
Evansville, Madison, Elroy, La Crosse, Winona & St. Paul	10:50 a.m.	8:05 p.m.
Leyden, Fellows, Evansville, Brookfield, Oregon & Madison	8:05 p.m.	12:05 p.m.
Evansville, Madison, St. Paul & Duluth	9:30 p.m.	7:20 p.m.
Evansville, Madison, St. Paul, Winona & Dakota	12:45 a.m.	7:20 p.m.
Evansville, Madison, Elroy & Chicago	7:30 a.m.	.....
Chicago Via Beloit	2:15 p.m.	15 p.m.
Daily & Sunday only.		

Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul.	Leave For.	Arrive From
Chicago, Elgin, Rockford and Beloit	7:10 p.m.	12:50 p.m.
Milwaukee Whitewater, Waubesa and Chicago	7:00 a.m.	9:30 a.m.
St. Paul, La Crosse, Portage and Madison	7:30 a.m.	.....
St. Paul, La Crosse, Portage and Madison	4:40 a.m.	9:17 a.m.
St. Paul, La Crosse, Portage and Madison	6:10 p.m.	4:50 p.m.
Edgerton, Stoutenot and Madison, mixed	7:00 p.m.	6:30 p.m.
Dakota, Iowa, Minnesota and Prairie du Chien	11:20 a.m.	1:00 p.m.
Chicago, Elgin, Rockford and Beloit, (daily)	4:40 p.m.	11:15 a.m.
Chicago, Elgin, Rockford and Beloit, (daily)	11:30 a.m.	6:00 p.m.
Chicago, Elgin, Rockford and Beloit, (daily)	12:45 p.m.	.....
Kansas City through train	11:30 a.m.	.....
Beloit, Rockford, Freeport, Savanna, Dubuque, Keokuk, Cedar Rapids, Ia., Racine, Elkhorn and Delavan	11:30 a.m.	4:05 p.m.
Beloit, Rockford, Freeport, Savanna, Dubuque, Keokuk, Cedar Rapids, Ia., Racine, Elkhorn and Delavan	6:35 p.m.	8:40 a.m.
St. Louis, Omaha, Denver and west fast train	9:30 a.m.	4:05 p.m.
Monroe and Mineral Pt.	9:30 a.m.	9:25 a.m.
Point	6:15 a.m.	4:00 p.m.
mixed	8:00 a.m.	3:30 p.m.
Monroe and Mineral Pt.	10:00 a.m.	.....
Sunday only.		
Daily except Sunday.		

## MAILS ARRIVE AND DEPART.

JANESVILLE MAILS.	Arrive.	Close.
Chicago, East, West, South-west	6:00 a.m.	9:00 a.m.
North and Northwest	7:35 a.m.	10:00 a.m.
Chicago, East, North and Northwest	9:40 a.m.	12:00 m.
Chicago, North, East, West and General	12:40 p.m.	.....
Chicago, East and St. Louis	6:00 p.m.	8:00
North and West, via Madison	6:30 p.m.	8:00
St. Louis	11:30 a.m.	.....
SUNDAY MAILS.		
Chicago, East, South and South-west	6:00 a.m.	6:00 p.m.
North, Northwest, etc.	6:30 p.m.	7:00 p.m.
MONDAY ONLY.		
Chicago, East, West and South	7:00 a.m.	.....
STAGE MAILS.		
Johnstown and Richmond	11:00 a.m.	2:30 p.m.
Em. rd. Grove and Fairfield	11:00 a.m.	2:00

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## THIS DAY IN HISTORY.

1671—John Law, famous speculative financier, born in Scotland; died 1730.

1689—Aphara, or Aphra, Behu, noted English dramatist and novelist, died in London; born about 1640.

1814—Eugene Beauharnais, marshal and viceroys (son of Empress Josephine), signed a convention with the allies in Italy, and the BEAUHARNAIS. Napoleonic wars were ended till the Waterloo campaign.

1862—France declared war against Mexico. A French army was already in Mexico when war was declared. It had landed with Spanish and English troops to demand reparation of losses and injuries inflicted upon foreign subjects during the revolutions. Spain and England settled by negotiations and withdrew their armies. Hostilities began at once, and in July the French occupied the City of Mexico. A regency was set up, then an assembly of notables, and finally Maximilian of Austria was crowned emperor. Being engaged with civil war, the United States could not protest against this violation of the Monroe doctrine.

1892—Day of destructive storms in the middle Atlantic coast states, especially Virginia, and also in England.

1894—General Oliver Lathrop Shepherd, U. S. A., retired, veteran of the civil war, died in New York city; born 1813.

Now that Persia has determined to send another minister to the United States, the wicked newspaper paragraphs should be careful not to drive him home by poking fun at his name, as they did seven or eight years ago, when the first Persian minister, Hadji Assaan Ghooly Khan, left us in disgust.

If you should protest against some action your neighbor intended taking for the welfare of his own family you would not be more impertinent than are those European governments which have protested against our making the Dingley tariff bill a law.

The abuse of the Dingley tariff bill by the democrats merely indicated their fear that the new tariff will make the country prosperous and thus complicate the destruction of the democratic party.

If the statements of membe's can be believed the Kansas legislature contains men who have influence and votes to sell—some very cheap.

Bismarck is threatening another eruption of secret history, for the delectation of the Kaiser's enemies.

## Bicycle-Baggage Bill Passed.

Lansing, Mich., April 16.—Railroad bills will be considered in the house April 28, the special order having been postponed until that day. The house passed bills requiring that bicycles be carried as baggage and that bells be placed at all crossings deemed by the railroad commissioner as dangerous, the former being given immediate effect. The session bids fair to be unusually long, the senate having defeated a resolution providing for final adjournment on May 31.

## Russia Looks for War.

Vienna, April 16.—It is said here on reliable authority that Emperor Nicholas declared that nothing now remains but to abandon Turkey and Greece to their fate and leave them to measure strength. His majesty is reported to have added emphatically that if Turkey now declared war it would be exclusively due to the provocation offered by Greece. Greece would also be regarded in Austrian official circles as the actual assailant.

## Mexico Will Not Retaliate.

City of Mexico, April 16.—The reports published in the United States that the Mexican government intends, in case of the passage of the Dingley tariff bill, instituting retaliatory measures, are denied. Certain provisions of the bill will, if enacted into law, bring American capital here, and will redound to the benefit of the country.

## Curfew Law for Michigan.

Lansing, Mich., April 16.—The Donovan bill providing for the ringing of the curfew bell in cities and villages as a signal for children under 15 years of age to seek their homes after 8 o'clock in the evening passed the senate Thursday, and will go to the governor for his signature.

## Sharp Fighting in Crete.

Canea, island of Crete, April 16.—Austrian torpedo boats were fired on Thursday by the insurgents near Kismamo while chasing Greek blockade runners. There has been sharp fighting around Candia between the Turks and the insurgents.

## Constitutional Convention for Wisconsin.

Madison, Wis., April 16.—A constitutional convention is impending for Wisconsin. At the meeting of the senate judiciary committee Thursday afternoon the subject was discussed, and it was practically decided to report a resolution calling for such a convention.

## ENDEAVOR WORKERS MEET

Southern Wisconsin District Union Is in Session at Edgerton.

The fifth annual convention of the Southern Wisconsin District Union of the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor will open at Edgerton this evening, and a delegation of Janesville workers left for Edgerton at 4:45 o'clock this afternoon. The program:

Friday, April 16.

7:00 p. m. Praise Service.

7:30 p. m. Address, "The Precious Book" Rev. J. O. Buswell, Hartford.

8:15 p. m. Address, "The Bible in Word, Thought and Character" Rev. R. C. Denison, Janesville.

Saturday, April 17.

6:30 a. m. Consecration Service. Rev. J. O. Buswell.

9:00 a. m. Bible Reading. Rev. J. O. Buswell.

10:00 a. m. Welcome Address and Response.

10:30 a. m. Business.

Committee Reports:

Lookout.....Miss Nellie Gilles, Evansville

Devotional.....Miss Edna Duthick, Elkhorn

Social.....Karl S. Smith, Delavan

Missionary.....Miss Etta Armstrong, Monroe

Christian Citizenship.....

2:30 p. m. Junior Hour Conducted by:

Miss Hannah Larson, Whitewater.

Open Parliament.

a. How Can Endeavorers Help the Pastor?

Rev. Bryant C. Preston, Whitewater.

b. Closet Prayer.

Prof. Edwin Shaw, Milton.

c. Christian Ideals.

Dr. G. A. Tawny, Milton College.

7:30 p. m. Christian Citizenship, "Deed vs. Principle versus Eucharist Principle in Civic Life."

George Sanger, Beloit.

Address, "The Inducement with the Holy Spirit."

Rev. J. W. Cochrane, Madison Pres. State Union

Sunday, April 18th.

10:30 a. m. Regular Church Services.

3:00 p. m. Women's Meeting conducted by

Miss Nettie Harrington, Janesville.

3:00 p. m. Men's Meeting.

7:15 p. m. Praise Service.

7:30 p. m. Convention Sermon, "The Holy Spirit in Missions"

Prof. John W. Decker, Madison.

TWO PATENTS FOR LOCAL MEN

E. Ray Inman Gets Papers For Two Of His Clients

Solicitor of Patents E. Ray Inman has received papers from the patent office in Washington for two local inventors. J. R. Mole has filed two applications for patent combined buckle, hame tug, and trace for a harness.

J. C. Schuler has an oil burning attachment for a cook stove that promises to be a good thing.

A Patriotic Verse.

"Swift as the summons came, they left

The plow mid-tow standing still;

The half-ground corn grist in the mill;

The spade in earth, the ax in cleft."

And marched on to Lexington. Hear

all about it at the Congregational church next Tuesday evening.

Attention Co. A.

You are requested to appear at the

armory at 1:00 o'clock Saturday p. m.

to take part in the flag raising exercises

at the residence of Dr. James Mills, Per order Charles L. Hanson, captain.

At His Wife's Grave.

Little Rock, Ark., April 16.—Capt.

Samuel Lyons killed himself at his

wife's grave in Oakland cemetery here

at 12:30 o'clock Thursday. He was 68

years old, and had many relatives and

friends in Chicago.

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WANTED—G man girl, competent for gen-

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On a red hot day Hires Rootbeer stands between you and the distressing effects of the heat.

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2 pint drinking cups 5c.

2 quart covered pail 5c.

12 quart galvanized pail 20c.

6 papers carpet tacks 5c.

Full size hatchet 15c.

Moulding hooks per dozen 10c.

Extension curtain rods 10c.

Garden rake or hoe 25c.

2 papers Garden or Flower Seed, 5c.

A barrel of clothes pins 5c.

Window curtains 15 and 25c.

500 page pencil tablet 5c.

Carpet beater 10c.

Red Fiber lunch box 10c.

Large tin basins 3, 4 and 5c.

14 quart dish pan 15c.

Copper bottom wash boiler 75c.

Dowel wash tubs 40, 50, 60c.

Full sized dust pan 5c.

RIDERS', near Grand Hotel

163 W. Milwaukee St.

## FROM THE CAMP

A Secret Handed Down by the Indians to Civilization that is the Cause of Thanksgiving to Many.

## Their Knowledge of Health

Thousands To-day Who Have Availed Themselves of Their Medicines Praise the Instinct by Which They Learned Nature's Secrets.

Did you ever get up in the morning with a bad taste in the mouth, a furred tongue, dull pains in the head, sickness at the stomach, accompanied during the day by pains under the right shoulder blade, a difficulty in breathing, spots before the eyes, a dry cough, cold hands and feet and hundreds of other similar distressing symptoms? If so you can make up your mind that your liver is out of order, and as soon as you have made up your mind to this, the sooner you make up your mind to get it in a healthy condition again, the better it will be for you. Nothing leads to such serious trouble as diseases of the liver, as shown by the above symptoms. Poisons which it is its duty to discharge from the body remain in the system. They soon become hoarded up in the other vital organs. They hinder them from performing their functions, and destroy their usefulness. The blood becomes richly impregnated and it is but a short time before the sufferer is completely prostrated with an illness that is apt to keep him many weeks from his work, if indeed he succeeds in ever again getting well. We should advise all sufferers from such complications to resort to that great remedy that was known and used by the Indians, Kikapoo Indian Sagwa. For a disordered condition of the liver, as well as for all affections of the kidneys and stomach, and for purifying the blood, it is positively marvelous. The following letter, in this connection, will explain itself.

"Vernon Centre, Minn., Kikapoo Indian Medicine Co., Gentlemen:—I have been a great sufferer from a disordered condition of my liver, which was accompanied with various stomach troubles. I experienced the most severe headache. I at last took Kikapoo Indian Sagwa and it has cured me. I cannot say enough in its praise to all I meet. Yours respectfully, Carrie B. Newell."

Kikapoo Indian Sagwa will do for any one what it did for Mrs. Newell. It takes but a few days to show the great results that may be expected and in a short time, if persisted in, cures are always accomplished. This remedy can be bought of any druggist for \$1 a bottle.

## EASTER ::

## Gloves and Ribbons.....

Just in the nick of time ---just at the climax of Easter interest---we have received from New York a large lot of KID GLOVES in the very new shades of browns. We make a special price for Saturday of::

55c pr

Fancy checks and Persian effects in wide RIBBONS. Also very dainty things in stripes. They give the last touch to the Easter toilette. Exceptional values at :: :: :: :: ::

28c

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35c

Ladies' Combination Suits ..

spring and summer weight

---knee length, at :: :: :: ::

25c per Suit

.....worth 50c.

Special Muslin Bargain...

Fine unbleached Muslin, yard wide, heavy quality,

4c

H. HOFFMASTER &amp; SON,

18 South Main Street.

Republican Committee to Me.

Springfield, Ill., April 16.—The Re-

publican state central committee will meet here probably Wednesday of next

week for the purpose of looking over the

senatorial and congressional ap-

pointment as prepared by the commit-

tees of the house and senate.

## Ladies' \$25.00 Gold Watch..

With..... Rex .....Flour.

Car of REX Patent flour is here -- it's equal to the best milling. With every sack a ticket on the \$25.00 gold watch, fully warranted; also a ticket on the beautiful Oak Side-board to be given away May 1st. REX flour will be sold for

\$1.00

a sack. After the first 500 sacks are sold the watch will be given away.

Be sure and ask for your ticket with every sack.

F. S. WINSLOW,

La Vista Grocery.

NO MORE TRUSSES FOR ME. RUPTURE CURED IN 30 TO 60 DAYS. No Surgical Operation. No Sore Pain. No Loss of Time. No Pay until Cured. EXAMINATION FREE. Over 180 Persons Cured in Rockford, Ill., and vicinity during the past two years. Send for Circular. WINN &amp; SOVEREIGN, EXCLUSIVE OWNERS OF Fidelity Rupture Cure

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RUSH KALSOFINE—PAINT, full line—BATH—CLOTH—HAIR—TOOTH—STRIPING—INFANTS—HAND—

Our stock is complete. See our window.

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## NOTICE FOR CITY PRINTING.

as required by resolution adopted by the Com-

mon Council, April 9th, 1897.

Sealed proposals will be received by the un-

derdesignated City Clerk of the City of Janesville,

until the first Tuesday of May, 1897, to print in

the English language, during the ensuing year,

all ordinances, notices, and city advertising re-

quired by law, or by resolution or ordinance of

the Common Council to be published in newspa-

pers. Also, separate proposals will be received

to publish in the English language such proceed-

ings of the Common Council as the Council may

order to be published during such year. By or-

der of the Common Council.

A. E. BADGER, City Clerk.

Dated April 13, 1897.

## Tailor-Made Suits, Skirts, Capes and Jackets : : :

The Big Line Is Here.

The line so many ladies have been waiting for came by express Saturday evening, and will be in stock and on sale Monday morning. This line of 185 pieces consists of the very swellest things in Suits, Skirts, Capes and Jackets, which in connection with the big purchase of a New York line made from the representative in Chicago on Friday, will give us a showing of garments second to none in the state.

All the World Around.

The swish of the silken skirt will sound this season. It is the sensible fad of the year. The sheen of its gimmering fold and the sound of its tuneful sweep will be seen and heard wherever fashion has a friend or follower. As usual, we assist our friends to their heart's desire. We bring silk skirts close to you by the re

markedly low prices we are enabled to make on these two sample lines—prices which mean a saving of at least one-third.

Easter Millinery. Buying no longer causes bankruptcy in this community. The man who writes jokes about the fabulous prices of Easter bonnets would find no foundation in fact for his yarns in this store. Easter Millinery is seen here at its best, but that does not mean exorbitant prices by any means. In fact next to the charm of exclusive style, which makes our millinery so desirable, comes the moderate price inducement. "Look here before you buy," is hackneyed, but very good advice.

We Have a remarkable Been Doing business in the Cloak department, and it is town talk that we show the nobby line of the town.

## ARCHIE REID &amp; CO.

## Shoes! Shoes! Shoes!!

Why wouldn't the best manufacturers of SHOES in this country shed tears when they see the ridiculous low prices placed on their goods.

## The Globe Shoe Co.

will sell the balance of this week, (Becker &amp; Woodruff's Old Stand.)

MEN'S Tan Shoes, worth \$1.50 \$3.50, \$4 and \$5, 98c  
MEN'S Black Shoes, worth \$3.50, \$4 and \$5, 98c  
LADIES' Tan Shoes, worth \$3.50, \$4 and \$5, 98c  
LADIES' Blk Shoes, worth \$3.50 to \$5, 98c  
MISSES' Tan Shoes, worth \$1.50, \$2 and \$2.50, 98c  
MISSES' Blk Shoes, worth \$1.75, \$2 and \$2.75, 98c  
CHILDREN'S Tan Shoes, worth \$1, \$1.25 and \$2, 75c  
CHILDREN'S Blk Shoes, worth \$1.25 to \$2.50, 75c  
CHILDREN'S Red Shoes, worth \$1.50, 65c

The above SHOES are broken lines and sizes, and all the best manufacturers are represented. Just a word to the ladies: Before you Buy your Dress Boot wait and see the Bradley-Martin. It is proper.

## Globe Shoe Co.

## THE BOSTON STORE

Eggs, Eggs. 8c dozen.  
Sliced Ham, 12 1/2 c lb.  
Sliced Bacon, 10c lb.  
Cottolene, 7c lb.  
Choice Lard, 7c lb.  
Boiling Pork, 5c lb.  
Corn Beef, 5c lb.  
Pickled Tripe, 8c lb.  
Dry Salt Pork, 7c lb.  
Finest Coffee in city, 25c lb.  
70 foot Clothesline, 10c.  
2 packages self rising Buckwheat, 5c.  
Our 50c Tea for Saturday, 20c  
Pint box Bluing, 10c.  
See our Carpet Brooms, 15c.  
Best canned Salmon, 10c; 3 for 25c.  
Bottle Olives, 5c lb.  
6 lbs Laundry Starch, 25c.  
Turkish Prunes, 5c lb; 6 lbs for 25c.  
Dried Pears, 6c lb.  
Butterine, 10c lb.

## THE BOSTON STORE.

## OVER FIFTY

Of my wheels sold here in the city last season. Ask a rider what he thinks of it. Highest grade in every way. Made to your order. Any color. Any saddle. Choice of tires. All repairs free for the season. Workmanship guaranteed one year. Price

\$50

"It's easier to find out points you don't understand from the manufacturer than any one else. Wheels built at home have an advantage."

F. RANDALL, 15 North Main Street.

## The Delicious Fragrance

Refreshing coolness and soft beauty imparted to the skin by Fozzoni's Powder, commends it to all ladies.



## BLEW A SAFE OPEN AND STOLE GOODS

ROBBERS WORK AT COOKSVILLE LAST NIGHT.

Got But Seven Dollars From the Strong Box, But Carried Off Nearly a Wagon Load of Other Plunder—Local Officers Notified to Be On the Watch.

Burglars ransacked the principal general store in Cooksville some time during last night and blew open the safe and carried away nearly a wagon load of plunder.

The stolen goods embrace a large quantity of clothing, neckwear, hats, caps, boots, shoes and silverware. After forcing the safe they were rewarded with but seven dollars in nickels and dimes.

At ten o'clock this morning Officer Appleby received a telephone message from Cooksville notifying him of the robbery. A good description of the stolen goods was given and the work would indicate that the job was done either by tramps or new hands at the business.

The robbery was not discovered until early this morning. All was confusion within the store. Goods were thrown right and left indicating that the thieves were in a hurry to accomplish their mission.

A close watch was kept of all incoming freight trains this morning but no suspicious characters were seen.

It is the opinion of the police that the parties who robbed the general store at Oregon a few days ago know something of last night's affair.

Think Stolen Horse Is Here.

Horse thieves who stole a rig in Milwaukee yesterday at noon are supposed to be in hiding in this vicinity. A telephone message to Officer Appleby this noon from Chief of Police Jaansen says that the rig has been traced to this county. The following description is given:

"Bay mare six years old, white star in forehead, snip on nose, sixteen hands high and weighs 1000 pounds. Black and spring top buggy, containing green colored wolf robe." Fifty dollars reward is offered.

## THE CASES IN COUNTY COURT

Calendar For the Special Term to be Held Tuesday.

The calendar for the county court for the special term to be held next Tuesday is as follows:

Hearing Proof of Will—Minerva J. Leonard, Daniel S. Rogers and Margaret Swingle.

Hearing Petition for Administration—Addie Skinner, Patrick Lyons, John Drew and George Teague.

Hearing Claims—Patrick Connell, M. L. Richardson and Mary L. Stout.

Hearing Executor's Account—Sarah C. Guernsey, Abraham Keen, Thomas Davidson, John Snyder and Alexander Thom.

Hearing Administrator's Account—Orpha V. Knight, Hiram Bishop and Catherine Menzies.

## MUSIC PASSED US ON WIRE

Beloit's Telephonic Concert Went Over Janesville Lines Last Night.

Over the long distance telephone wire that runs up Milwaukee street sweet strains of music were transmitted last evening from Milwaukee to Beloit. Linemen in this city "switched" the wires at the corner of Main and Milwaukee streets, giving Beloit direct communication with Milwaukee at 6 o'clock last evening, thus shutting this city off entirely. The music heard in the Line City was made by Claude's and Bach's orchestras, the same organizations that will play for the citizens of Janesville on Saturday evening. T. J. Skolsky of the Wisconsin Telephone Company is now in the city making preparations for the local concert.

## ENTERTAINMENT FOR Y. M. C. A.

Ladies Auxiliary Planning a Novel Social Event.

The members of the Ladies Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. are planning a novel entertainment for the evening of April 30, object being to raise funds for the association. It will probably be decided to give a musical and literary program in the large auditorium, and during the evening a May pole party will be held.

## Dried Fruits.

Most everybody is fond of good dried fruits. We are making a special run on a fine stock of dried fruits at present, as our large space on page 8 tonight verifies. Every article named is a bargain, and just as represented. If you want some choice fruit, don't fail to look the list over. Sanborn.

Cost	Sale.
1 can cherries.....	5c
1 can candied corn.....	5c
1 lb. can salmon fit for white people to eat.....	10c
1 lb. corn starch.....	3c
2 lb. package oats.....	6c
1 pt. bottle mustard.....	10c
9 bars Lenox soap.....	25c
12 bars choice toilet soap.....	25c
Gold dust.....	15c
1 dozen lemons.....	10c
Perfection baking powder.....	25c
Choice dried apricots.....	8c
Armour hams.....	10c
1 can choice tomatoes.....	7c
With every pound can Echo baking powder at 50 cents, I will give one pound of choice tea.....	
1 lb 4 A coffee.....	11c
1 lb best Mocha and Java coffee.....	30c
A three days' sale.	

A. C. MUNGER

## A COLUMN OF LOCAL GOSSIP.

STOVES stored at Lowell's.

STORAGE stoves at Lowell's.

This is prayer meeting night.

Good harness \$7. F. A. Taylor.

\$2.85 to \$5 for tan shoes at Richardson's.

Who sells the Badger wheel? H. F. Nott.

ALL kinds of vegetables in today. Sanborn.

SPECIAL sale of road wagons at Taylor's.

BAKERY goods wholesale prices. De Forest.

THE finest kind of strawberries in today. Sanborn.

FIFTEEN road wagons to be sold cheap at Taylor's.

NICE California prunes per pound, 3 cents. Sanborn.

REMEMBER my \$10 harness is worth \$12. F. A. Taylor.

STRICTLY fresh eggs only 8 cents a dozen at Sanborn's.

GOLDEN Lily Baking powder, Sanborn's private brand.

COME in and look over our shoes for Easter. Richardson's.

LITTLE Midget sweet pickles 25 cents a quart. Sanborn.

CHOICE evaporated peaches, per pound, 5 cents. Sanborn.

FANCY large California prunes 5 cents per pound. Sanborn.

REX—Ticket—Watch—Flour—Patent—Dollar—One. Winslow.

FRENCH prunes, big as hen's eggs, per pound, 10 cents. Sanborn.

THE finest of fresh caught trout received new every day. Sanborn.

LOUIS WALETZ has been elected in as a member of the Light Infantry.

PEOPLE who like dried fruits can get them for little money. Sanborn.

COMPLETE the Easter dress with a nice pair of tan shoes. Richardson's.

DUTCH cocoa equal to and cheaper in price than VanHouten's. Sanborn.

KID gloves for Easter at end-of-season prices. Hoffman & Sons.

FANCY evaporated California peeled peaches per pound 15 cents. Sanborn.

BUY your Easter cape or jacket at Bort, Bailey & Co's special sale tomorrow.

THAT private creamery butter is all of the best, tastes just right. Sanborn.

WE keep our oysters in a special refrigerator 30 cents a quart. Sanborn.

FANCY Yellow Crawford Evaporated peaches 10 cents per pound. Sanborn.

TEN per cent discount on all spring shoes during our opening. Bennett & Luby.

GREAT spring sale of wall papers and window shades at Sutherland's bookstore.

WEARERS of our shoes can get them shined free every day at our store. Richardson's.

OUR Golden Lily Baking Powder is receiving many compliments. Only 25 cents a pound. Sanborn.

BIBLES for Easter; Easter prayer books; Easter cards and Easter novelties at Sutherland's bookstore.

FIFTY capes and twenty-five jackets, this spring styles, will be shown at shown at Bort, Bailey & Co's, tomorrow.

ELEGANT oysters most of them select only 30 cents a quart, the only place in the city they are to be found. Sanborn.

DON'T fail to buy Easter shoes during our spring opening at 10 per cent discount on all goods bought these three days. Bennett & Luby.

JUST received a nice assortment of prayer books, a nice gift for Easter. Also a fine line of Easter cards at the new book store. W. J. Skelly.

COME to the Congregational church next Tuesday evening, April 20, and hear how our forefathers fought for the future independence of their children.

THE ladies of All Souls church will hold their annual Easter market Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. A chicken pie supper will be served at 6 o'clock.

HEAR the story of the first battle of the American Revolution told by two youthful Americans at the Congregational church next Tuesday evening, April 20.

THURSDAY, April 22 is the date of our second bicycle is to be given away. Be sure and get a ticket, every 50 cent cash purchase entitles you to one. Bennett & Luby.

MEMBERS of W. H. Sargent W. R. C. are hereby requested to meet in their work room on Saturday afternoon at 1:30 to attend the flag raising at Dr. Mills' residence. By order of President.

A VERY pretty Lenten luncheon was given last evening by the Misses Mary and Frank Fild to a small party of friends. The table decorations were geranium leaves and red blossoms.

THE Union May party to be given by the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers and Firemen will be one of the most delightful parties of the season. It will be held at the Armory on Friday evening, April 30. Smith's full orchestra will furnish the music and a good time is sure to result.

Do not fail to attend the free entertainment to be given at the Congregational church next Tuesday evening April 20 at 7:30 o'clock. The prizes offered by the Daughters of the American Revolution for the two best essays written on the "Battle of Lexington" by pupils from the eighth grade of our public schools will then be awarded.

## FARM SUIT ON TRIAL IN A LOCAL COURT

JUSTICE RICHARDSON'S JURY IS BUSY.

Real Estate Men Say They Sold An Evansville Man's 120 Acres, and Want Him to Give Possession, and Pay them \$100 Commission—Denial Is Entered.

Whether or not W. B. Johnson is to transfer his farm in the town of Union to Robert Krueger and then pay the Evansville real estate firm of Burgess & Austin \$100 commission, is a question that a jury in Justice M. P. Richardson's court is to decide.

Mr. Johnson says that he will not pay the commission nor will he sell the farm to Krueger. Burgess & Austin say that they have already sold the farm, and that Krueger has paid the first installment. The jury is composed of Lyman D. Prichard, Thomas Bowles, John De Forest, Alex. McGregor, Charles Stanton and George A. Crossman.

The farm in question is composed of 120 acres in the town of Union and is valued at about \$6,000. It is said to have originally belonged to William Johnson and afterward came to his son, William A. Johnson. Last spring the son is said to have gone to the real estate firm of Burgess & Austin at Evansville, and made a contract with them to sell the farm, they to receive a commission of \$100. A buyer, the firm says, was soon found in the person of Robert Krueger, a farmer who resides near Evansville. The deal was then closed and Krueger is said to have made one payment.

Mr. Johnson now claims that he does not care to sell the farm to Krueger and that he has a buyer himself. Sutherland & Nolan represented the Evansville firm while Smith & Pierce are endeavoring to keep the farm in the possession of Mr. Johnson. At four o'clock this afternoon the jury after a half hour session, brought in a verdict in favor of the defendant.

## A SMALL WRECK AT AFTON

C. & N. W. Freight Cars Tear Up the Depot Platform and Jump Track.

The Northwestern railroad wrecking crew had a job of work at Afton yesterday. While the through Chicago-Baraboo freight was entering the village, one of the cars jumped the track and was soon landed in a deep ravine. Four other cars filled with coal quickly followed suit, and coal was thrown in all directions, while one of the cars tore up a goodly portion of the platform. No one was injured, and the tracks were soon cleared.

## A DAY'S NEWS IN THE TOWN.

SPECIAL road wagon sale at Taylor's

Eggs, eggs for Easter, 7c, at Winslow's.

Eggs 7 cents per dozen at Winslow's.

FANCY bananas 8 cents a dozen at Spivak's.

7 cents per dozen fresh eggs at Winslow's.

100 dozen fresh eggs for Easter, 7c, at Winslow's.

Use Rex, finest patent flour in the city, at Winslow's.

1,000 dozen fresh eggs for Easter 7 cents per dozen at Winslow's.

FIFTEEN odd road wagons to be closed out at special prices at Taylor's.

SIXTY girls finished work yesterday in the warehouse of Barnard & Wader.

DON'T pay more; 8 cents is all we ask for a dozen nice bananas. J. Spivak.

TWENTY-FIVE dollar handsome gold watch given away on car of Rex flour at Winslow's.

Two cars of life stock left last evening for Chicago being shipped by L. O. O'Brien.

TWELVE applications for membership in the Woodmen lodge have been received of late.

WANTED—Girl for general housework at once. C. A. Sanborn, 162 South Main street.

THE High School and Light Infantry teams will play indoor base ball at the Armory tonight.

WE have an odd stock of road wagons to be closed out at special low prices. F. A. Taylor.

MRS. ELMER WITHERELL entertained the Novelty Club at her Forest Park home yesterday afternoon.

THE union May party of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers and Firemen will be held April 30.

THE name of Rex given to our flour means king of all. Use Rex and no other. \$1 per sack at Winslow's.

OUR candies are fresh, an extra fresh supply for Easter, with many new kinds of delicious sweets. All our own make. J. Spivak.

FANCY green peas, tomatoes, asparagus, spinach, fresh strawberries, and all spring vegetables, for Easter Sunday, cheap, at Spivak's.

UNLESS the day is stormy, the flag will be raised at Dr. Mills' residence tomorrow. In case of a storm, however the ceremonies will be postponed for one week.

It has recently been discovered that bogus eye specialists in Chicago are offering jewelers and opticians fees for taking cases to them. In a few cases these frauds are using names similar to those of reputable specialists. It is suggested that you call upon your family physician for reference before going to any city for treatment.

## PEOPLE WHO COME AND GO.

T. E. SAYRE was in Stoughton today.

N. J. Ross was up from the Line City.

REV. Father Ward was up from Beloit.

MRS. WILLIAM SADLER was in Edgerton.

LEVI CANIFF is out after a siege of illness.

DR. G. H. Fox spent the day in Stoughton.

R. B. BATES of Madison, spent the day in town.

L. O. O'BRIEN was in Edgerton buying live stock.

GEORGE BUCHHOLZ is home from the state university.

MISS DORA PENN, of Juda, visited local friends today.

REV. Dr. Sabin Halsey has been in Milwaukee this week.

REV. F. A. PEASE returned this morning from Palmyra.

FRED ROBERTS, of Milwaukee, is the guest of Pinesse Pease.

R. H. KING has been in Chicago during the past few days.

WALTER M. METCALF, of Crystal Lake, spent the day in town.

W. K. BALLANTYNE, a Philadelphia leaf tobacco dealer, is in the local market.

EDITOR HANFORD and wife, of the Broadhead Independent, spent the day in town.

JOHN KELLY, the well known horseman, arrived in the city last evening, from New York City.

MRS. W. A. CARPENTER, of Detroit, Mich., was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Carpenter yesterday.

O. B. JAMES, agent for the Deering Harvest company, has rented one of Jeffris flats on Dodge street.

MRS. M. M. CABLE and Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Keller will entertain a number of guests this evening at 6 o'clock tea.

DISTRICT Chief Templar W. G. Kildow of I. O. G. T. lodge has returned after attending the second quarterly meeting of the sixth district held at Lyons this week.

MRS. McEWEN arrived in the city yesterday from Portland, Oregon. She left that city the 5th of April and was nine days on the road. She was obliged to go back four hundred miles over the same road in order to get around a wrecked bridge. She will make her home with Mr. and Mrs. O. A. J. Hollister of 107 Fifth avenue.

## ODD LOOKING COLORED MAN

An Ex-Slave From Tennessee Plays His Banjo Here.

Joseph McCre, a picturesque colored man, who was for years a slave in Tennessee, is in the city. He is a banjo player, and earns money by playing and singing. McCre says the northern people are generous, and that he has not been obliged to go without a meal since he left his southern home.

An Easter Window.

A very pretty idea is displayed in Bort, Bailey & Co's window, "the opening of the Easter egg." A large egg which opens slowly, reveals a beautiful cluster of tube roses. The window is trimmed with fans and Easter novelties, and many people are being attracted by the pretty things.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER

Absolutely Pure.

Celebrated for its great leavening strength and healthful nature, it is the food against all forms of adulteration common to the cheap brands.

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## HAS COURTED DEATH.

TRIED SUICIDE IN MANY WAYS  
BUT STILL LIVES.Methods of His Lethal Experiments—  
The Cause Was Unrequited Affection  
—But He Afterwards Married the Girl.

FRANK H. CHEESMAN, living at 2227 Ohio street, South Berkeley, breaks the local record for suicidal effort, says the San Francisco Examiner. Eight times has he attempted to ferry the Styx and only his last call to the grim boatman seems likely to attract old Charon's sudden attention. Cheesman's persistence in seeking a ready exit from the stage of life is consistent with the varied methods of his lethal experiments. Some of his failures were unique, notably when he interrupted the circuit of a live electric wire and survived the deadly voltage of an alternating circuit of innumerable ohms. He has also swallowed poison and jumped from the promenade deck of a Southern Pacific ferryboat. Last Saturday he shot himself through the lungs, narrowly missing his heart, and the doctors diagnose his symptoms as fatal.

Cheesman's first attempt on his life was sensational. He threw himself from an upper-story window in this city, involving himself in two possibilities of successful suicide. He hoped in the first instance to perish on the wires of an electric light intercepting his descent to the pavement, which he imagined would mangle him sufficiently if the wire should break. It happened that the wire was tenacious and Cheesman was rescued.

His next adventure was a plunge from a ferryboat, reckoning on the chronic lethargy of the Southern Pacific to achieve his purpose. But Cheesman could not sink. It is the custom of the Southern Pacific officials to arrest people who jump from their ferryboats and turn them over to the police. This was the procedure on this occasion, but Cheesman, while on his way to the station, drew a knife from his pocket and stabbed himself three or four times in the neck. This time his lack of precision as an anatomist saved him.

After his wounds were dressed they locked Cheesman in a cell, and half an hour later he was found hanging by his suspenders to the grating in the ceiling.

When he recovered his breath sufficiently to explain Cheesman said he wanted to die because Effie Lambert would not marry him.

A few months later the old craving came upon him again and he poisoned himself in the basement of his parents' home in Lorin. Again the doctors interfered, this time with the pump, and Cheesman came up smiling once more out of the valley of the shadow.

But Cheesman was still unsatisfied. His desire for death may even be regarded as insatiable. A little while after the poisoning episode he climbed upon a windmill loftier than those at which his prototype of La Mancha tilted, and, probably imagining himself an airship or a thunderbird, leaped head foremost into space. Death at this time was inevitable, but a big dog passed opportunely and Cheesman landed safely on the animal's back.

The object of these evidences of an insane regard, thus emphatically importuned, concluded about this time that Cheesman was in deadly earnest and that he meant what he said when he averred that he would not live without her. Consequently, on Sept. 28, 1892, Frank H. Cheesman and Effie Lambert were married.

In books the romance of life usually ends at the altar, but in real life it is different, and the Cheesman tragedy was no exception to the rule of realism. He began a new series of tragic episodes by trying to shoot his wife. Failing to do so he knotted a handkerchief about his neck and in the presence of his wife tried to choke himself to death. Mrs. Cheesman summoned assistance and her husband made record of his seventh failure.

His wife then left him and Cheesman came to San Francisco, where he found a woman whose throat he tried to cut. He was arrested and sent to the Ukiah insane asylum. He was discharged six months later and shipped on a man-of-war, but deserted at San Diego and returned home.

He had a lucid interval for seven months, during which he worked at the trade of house painter in Oakland. He was paid off last Saturday night and went to his home in South Berkeley. He carried his suicidal tendency with him, and with a revolver for the eight time, attempted his life. Dr. Rowell was called and located the bullet in Cheesman's lung. The doctor says the wound is serious.

When the spring time comes, "gentle Annie," like all other sensible persons, will cleanse the liver and renovate the system with Dr. Williams' Little Early Risers, famous little pills for the liver and stomach all the year round. C. D. Stevens.

## Lands in Wisconsin.

The Northwestern Line (O. St. P. & O. R'y) has over 400,000 acres of land for sale in Northern Wisconsin at very low prices on easy terms. Land seekers' excursion tickets on sale April 20, May 4 and 18, at very low rates. For particulars inquire of nearest ticket agent, and for maps, descriptive of lands, etc., address G. W. Bell, Land Commissioner, Hudson, Wis.

## Too Conscientious.

"The thing for you to do, madam," said the attorney, "is to bring suit against the woman for alienating your husband's affections. She has means, and you can, undoubtedly, recover heavy pecuniary damages from her."

"Would I have to put a money value on my husband's affections?" inquired the client.

"Certainly. And you need not fear to make the figure very large."

"I am not under oath, am I?"

"Not at all. This is merely a consultation."

"Well, then, you may sue the woman for—I guess you may make it as high as \$75."—Chicago Tribune.

## Qualified Encouragement.

"Young man," said Senator Sorghum, to the protegee who has been promised an appointment, "I shall not congratulate you; but there is one thing I desire to say."

"What is that?"

"If you display anything like the energy and anxiety in filling this position that you showed in getting it, you can't help being a brilliant success."—Washington Star.

## The Usual Way.

His love was a lass who, night and morn, milked a cow with a crumpled horn, and though the lover was tattered and torn, she vowed she never would leave him forlorn. But the squire rode by in his one-hoss-shay, and fell in love with the rustic fay; he was old, but rich, and the tattered jay figured second best man on her wedding day. —R. G. Taber, in Philadelphia Press.

## Surgery.

Consulting Surgeon—What is the matter here?

House Surgeon—This is a man who ate the first dumpling his wife ever made.

Consulting Surgeon—Um—he seems pretty weak. I guess we'd better not probe for the dumpling yet awhile. —N. Y. Truth.

## Her Secret.

"Yes, sir, I know one woman who can keep a secret."

"Please explain."

"My wife and I have been married for ten years now, and she has never yet consented to tell me how it is that she is always in need of money."—Cleveland Leader.

## Papa Sized Him Up.

"If you marry sister I know that you will give me a bicycle," said Tommy to the evening caller.

"Why this confidence, my boy?"

"Because papa says you have more kinds of wheels than any other young fellow that comes here."—Detroit Free Press.

## Her Faithless Vows.

"Before a girl is married she says she is willing to live on a desert island with her loved one."

"Of course; any real woman would feel that way."

"Yes; and after she is married she has to have her mother and sisters with her all the time."—Chicago Record.

## A Complete Cure.

The Wife—Doctor, can you do anything for my husband?

The Doctor—What seems to be the trouble?

"Worrying about money."

"Oh, I can relieve him of that, all right."—Yonkers Statesman.

## To Save Her Features.

"Mrs. Tompkins wants to borrow your football mask."

"Gracious—what does she want with it?"

"She has to help Mr. Tompkins take off his porous plaster."—Detroit Free Press.

## His Characteristics.

"The candid man," from what I've seen of this our earthly lot, is one who keeps it quiet if he has a pleasant thought. —Chicago Journal.

## THEIR SKELETON TROUBLE.



He—I know people who would be glad to have a skeleton in their closet.

She—Indeed!

He—Yes. They had one, but it got out. —N. Y. World.

## The Vernal Martyr.

The poet's ardor never flags; He sweetly sings of bird and bloom, While maids with pails and scrubbing rags Pursue him round from room to room. —Chicago Record.

## Long-Winded.

Speaker—My fellow citizens, I am speaking for the benefit of posterity. Voice from the Audience—And if you don't get through soon they'll be here. —Up-to-Date.

## His Special Qualification.

"How sweetly he writes of boy-life in the country. The memory of his early days must be very dear to him."

"Yes, you see, he never worked on a farm."—Chicago Journal.

## The Law of Compensation.

Diner—Isn't that a pretty small steak?

Attendant—Yes; but you'll find it will take you a good while to eat it.—Boston Transcript.

## Some Day.

"When will you ever do penance for your sins?" said she.

"I expect to get married some day," said he.—N. Y. Journal.

## Food of the Eskimos of Alaska.

The Eskimos of Alaska have profited by their contact with civilized people, not only to obtain many of the utensils and appliances of life, and to preserve food and supplies for the long northern winters. The "Sportsman's Review" gives an interesting recital of their progress: "From time immemorial the Eskimos have taken eggs and fowls during the short season they were available. There is no system of canning eggs to determine their grade among the natives. An egg is an egg to them at any period of incubation, and so long as the season lasts they live in riotous plenty. Formerly they were contented with what they could eat during the season, but since they have come in contact with white people they have learned more thorough methods, and now they provide eggs and birds to last the whole year through. They dry or pickle the flesh and the eggs are preserved in barrels of muckaluck—walrus oil. An added goose egg kept a year in rancid oil appeals to an Eskimo's peculiarly cultivated taste. To an Eskimo an egg taken at any time in the season is eatable; but to be salable to the whites it must be fresh, so the Eskimos divide the territory among themselves, and make a systematic round of the nests each day, taking the fresh eggs, and finally pickling the mother when she refuses to lay any more, capturing her with a noose of wire. Now a part of the regular fare of the Yukon steamboat is wild goose. At the first meal the tourist is apt to regard the bird with great good favor, but as meal after meal passes wild goose ceases to be a joy. This continual depredation of the nests, combined with the Pacific coast market and record hunting, has already depleted the flocks of web-foot birds that one time were to be seen in myriads during the migrating season."

## A New Treaty with Japan.

A commercial treaty between the United States and Japan, which was negotiated two years ago, contained a section providing that, as to patents and trade-marks, the citizens of each country should have in the territory of the other the same protection as the citizens of that country. But this treaty does not take effect until July, 1899, and in the meantime the highly ingenious Japanese have been imitating successfully American patented articles, and by the aid of cheap labor have produced them at a cost which makes American competition difficult. To obviate this, a new treaty has been negotiated with Japan and has been ratified by the senate, by which the section referred to in the earlier treaty is given immediate effect.

## GOLDEN Lily Baking powder at Sanborns.

## YOUR TIRED STOMACH.

"I have no appetite," you say, "and the little I do eat does me no good. At first it feels cold and dead in my stomach and by and by I have aches and pains that sometimes go to my chest and back. I feel weak, low spirited and out of sorts all over. I fancy the demon of dyspepsia has got me." That's the way you talk and no wonder. But wait a moment. Let us reason together. Perhaps thus far your stomach is merely tired. You have been eating too much, eating the wrong things, and irregularly. You have given it too much to do, and like all living things, when overworked, it stops at length from sheer exhaustion. There may not be an actually diseased condition as yet. Still it is nature's warning, and you must heed it or worse will follow. "But I must eat or starve," you say. True enough, but safety usually lies in middle courses. Here is one for you. You don't need drastic purges or exciting stimulants. Your condition is one easily relieved if we go about it gently and sensibly. The tired stomach won't work under whip and spur. It has probably had too much of that already. What you require is something that is at once a food and a digester of food. Such an article is the Shaker Digestive Cordial, discovered and prepared by the Shaker Community of Mt. Lebanon, N. Y. Taken right after eating, so as to mix with the food, it does the stomach's work for it, gives it the advantage of further rest, strengthens you in a natural way, and soon enables the stomach to do full duty. There is nothing else like this simple, safe, certain and palatable remedy. Yet the Shakers respect your doubts and authorize druggists to sell a trial bottle for ten cents.

## Dearborn &amp; Allen

[Successors to KNEFF &amp; ALLEN.]

## DO YOU

want something nobby in a Suit, Overcoat or Trouser, cut by our new cutter—an artist, recommended by the Chicago profession as away up in his line? His work will speak. An elegant line of Worsteds, Scotch and Cheviots to select from and at far-away-down prices.

## We Have

The lightest, airiest and best salesroom in the city and want you to call.

## AGENTS FOR

The Columbus Shirt Co. Shirts, 1,000 samples to select from at about the same cost as a stock shirt. We take the measure and each one is made for you.

## Dearborn &amp; Allen

## Shoes For Easter

The day that marks the change in footwear from one season to the other is at hand. Our different lines this season more complete, better selected than ever if possible.

## Ladies' Tan and New Shade of Wine Color Shoes

All the new coin toes (the shape used most exclusively by every lady this season). We are selling shoes at greater bargain prices than ever before. This is absolutely so. Take our

\$2.85 Tan Shoe.

It is of stock and make which it would be impossible to buy for less than \$3.50—seems a high figure, but the shoes bear out the assertion. Our \$3.50 line cannot be duplicated in the city for less than \$4.00; a comparison all we ask for verification. Our \$4.00 line is, well, simply a dream; \$5.00 would be but a fair figure to ask for them. Its the cash system we adopted last year that makes us to make lower shoe prices than the city ever saw.

Every Man, perhaps, has his Easter suit ready. How about the shoes? Don't start out the spring season incomplete. A \$6.00

Oxblood Shoe \$5.00

Strong & Garfield glove fitting make; add 50 per cent to the appearance of any man's foot. Tan shoes, stylish and durable, from \$2.85 to \$4.00, the strongest we ever have shown. Remember what we said about quality and low prices this year—it's truth.

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Then, at a wave of her sunny hand, The dancing girls of Samarkand, Glide in like ships from fairyland, Making a sudden mist in air, Of daisy wiles and floating hair.

And white arms lifted, Orient blood Runs in their veins, shines in their eyes, And there, in this eastern paradise, Filled with the breath of sandalwood, And Khoten musk and aloes and myrrh, Sits Rose-in-Bloom on a silk divan, Sipping the wines of Astrakhan, And her Arab lover sits with her, That's when the Sultan Shah Zaman Goes to the city Ispahan.

Now when I see an extra light Flaming, flickering on the night, From my neighbor's casement opposite I know as well as I know to pray, I know as well as a tongue can say, That the innocent Sultan Shah Zaman Has gone to the city Ispahan.

—Thomas Bailey Aldrich.

## IN A PUNT.

One evening, when I had returned all alone and very weary, painfully pulling my heavy boat, which I used every night, I paused a few seconds to take breath near the edge of some reeds. The weather was glorious, the moon was radiant, the river sparkled, the air was cool and sweet. This tranquillity tempted me, and I thought it would be very pleasant to smoke my pipe in this place. The action followed the thought. I seized my anchor and cast it into the river. The punt, which floated with the current, drifted as far as the end of its chain, and then stood still. I seated myself in the stern on my sheepskin as comfortably as possible.

I heard nothing, not a sound, only at intervals I imagined I heard a slight, almost inaudible, plash of the water against the shore, and I saw clusters of tall reeds which assumed surprising shapes and seemed at intervals to stir. The river was perfectly quiet, but I felt agitated by the extraordinary stillness which surrounded me. All creatures—the frogs and toads, those nocturnal singers of the marshes—were silent. Suddenly at my right, close to me, a frog croaked. I shuddered. It ceased, and I heard nothing more and resolved to smoke to divert my mind. Yet, although I was a notorious and confirmed smoker, I could not smoke. With a second puff, I changed my mind and stopped.

I began to recite verses. The sound of my voice was painful. Then I stretched myself out in the bottom of the boat and watched the sky. For some time I remained at ease, but soon light movements of the boat disturbed me. It seemed as if it was making gigantic lurches, touching alternately the two banks of the river, then I thought that some being or invisible force drew it gently to the bottom of the water, then, raising it, let it fall once more. I was tossed about as though in the midst of a tempest. I heard sounds around me. I rose with a bound. The water was gleaming. All was quiet.

I saw that my nerves were somewhat shaken, and I determined to be off. I pulled at the chain, the punt began to move; then I felt a resistance. I pulled harder, but the anchor did not come. It had caught on something at the bottom of the river, and I could not lift it. I once more commenced to pull, but in vain. Then with my oars I turned the boat up stream in order to change the position of the anchor. This was useless; it still held fast. I was seized with anger and shook the chain furiously. Nothing moved. I sat down discouraged and began to reflect upon my position.

I could not think of breaking the chain or of separating it from the boat, for it was very heavy and riveted in the bow to a piece of wood thicker than my arm. But as the weather was still very fair, I thought that I should not remain long without encountering some fisherman who would come to my relief. My mishap had calmed me. I sat down, and at last was able to smoke my pipe. I had a bottle of rum. I drank two or three glasses and was compelled to laugh at my situation.

It was very warm, so that I could, if necessary, without great discomfort, pass the night in the beautiful starlight. Suddenly a soft rapsounded against the side of the boat. I started, and a cold sweat froze me from head to foot. This sound doubtless came from some piece of wood borne by the current, but it was enough, and I was again possessed by a strange nervous agitation. I grasped the chain and strained with a desperate effort. The anchor held firm. I sat down exhausted.

Meanwhile the river had gradually become covered by a very thick white mist which hung very low over the water, so that, standing, I could no longer see the river, or my feet, or the boat, but only the tops of the reeds, and in the distance the lowland, white in the moonlight, and from great black spots, formed by clumps of Lombardy poplars, arose in the sky. I was wrapped to my waist as if in a muslin sheet of singular whiteness, and fantastic visions came to me.

I fancied that some one whom I could not distinguish was trying to climb into my boat, and that the river, hidden in this opaque mist, must be filled with these strange beings who swam around me. I felt a horrible disquietude; my temples were tightly bound; the beating of my heart almost choked me, and, losing control of myself, I thought of

saving myself by swimming, but immediately this idea made me shudder with fear. I could see myself lost, wandering at random in that thick fog, in the midst of the grasses and reeds from which I could not free myself, quivering with fear, unable to see the shore or to find my boat, and I imagined I could feel myself drawn by my feet to the very bottom of this black water.

Indeed, as I should have been compelled to struggle against the current for at least 500 yards before reaching a point free from grass and rushes where I might gain a foothold, there were nine chances out of ten that I should not be able to find my way in this obscurity, and that I should be drowned, good swimmer as I was.

I tried to reason with myself. I determined not to be afraid, but there was something in me besides my will, and this other thing was afraid. I asked myself what there was to fear. My brave I jeered at my poltroon I, and never so well as on that day have I understood the conflict of the two beings that exist in us—the one willing, the other resisting, and each in turn prevailing.

This foolish and inexplicable fear continually increased till it became terror. I remained immovable, with wide open eyes and expectant ear. Of what? I knew not in the least, but of something terrible. I believe that if a fish had thought of springing out of water, as often happens, no more would have been needed to make me fall stiff and insensible.

Nevertheless, by a violent effort, I succeeded in gradually recovering my lost reason. I took again my bottle of rum and drank deep draughts. Then the idea occurred to me, and I began to shout with all my strength, turning successively to the four points of the horizon. When my throat was absolutely paralyzed, I heard a dog barking in the distance.

I drank again and stretched myself at full length on the bottom of the boat. I remained thus for perhaps an hour, perhaps two, without sleeping, with eyes wide open, and with terrors around me. I dared not rise, yet I wished intensely to do so. I put it off from minute to minute. I said to myself, "Come, stand up," and I was afraid to make a movement. At last I raised myself with infinite precautions, as if my life depended on the slightest sound I might make, and looked over the side of the boat.

I was dazzled by the most marvelous, the most astonishing sight that could possibly be seen. It was one of those phantasmagoria of fairyland, one of those visions related by voyagers who return from afar, and which we hear without believing.

The mist, which for two hours before was floating on the river, had gradually receded and gathered on the river banks. Leaving the stream entirely clear, it had formed on each shore an unbroken bank six or seven yards in height, which gleamed beneath the moon with the superb brilliancy of snow. Thus, not a thing was visible save the river flashing with fiery lights. Between these two white hills of mist, and high overhead hung full and large a majestic, luminous moon in the midst of a black sky dotted with stars.

All the creatures of the water were awake. The frogs were croaking furiously, while at intervals, now at the right, now at the left, I heard the short, monotonous, melancholy note which the ringing voices of the toads uttered to the stars. Strangely I was no longer afraid. I was surrounded by a scene so extraordinary that the most striking singularities had no power to astonish me.

How long this lasted I know not, for I had ended by falling asleep. When I opened my eyes, the moon had set, the sky was covered with clouds, the water rippled mournfully, the wind was blowing, it was cold, and the darkness was profound.

I drank what remained of my rum, then I listened, shivering with cold, to the rustling of the reeds and the sinister sound of the river. I tried to see, but I could not distinguish the boat nor even my hands, which I held before my eyes.

Gradually, however, the thick darkness diminished. Suddenly I seemed to feel a shadow gliding very near me. I uttered a cry and a voice answered. It was a fisherman. I called to him. He drew near, and I told him of my misadventure. He then pulled his boat alongside mine, and we both strained at the chain. The anchor did not move. Day dawned, somber, gray, rainy, cold—one of those days which bring one gloom and misfortune.

I perceived another boat. We hailed it. The man who rowed it united his efforts with ours. Then, little by little, the anchor yielded. It came up but slowly and burdened with a considerable weight. At length we saw a dark mass, and we drew it into my boat.

It was the body of an old woman with a stone fastened to the neck.—Guy de Maupassant.

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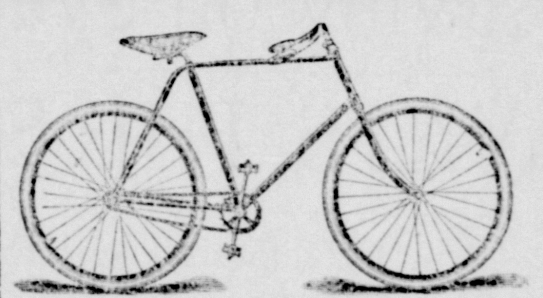
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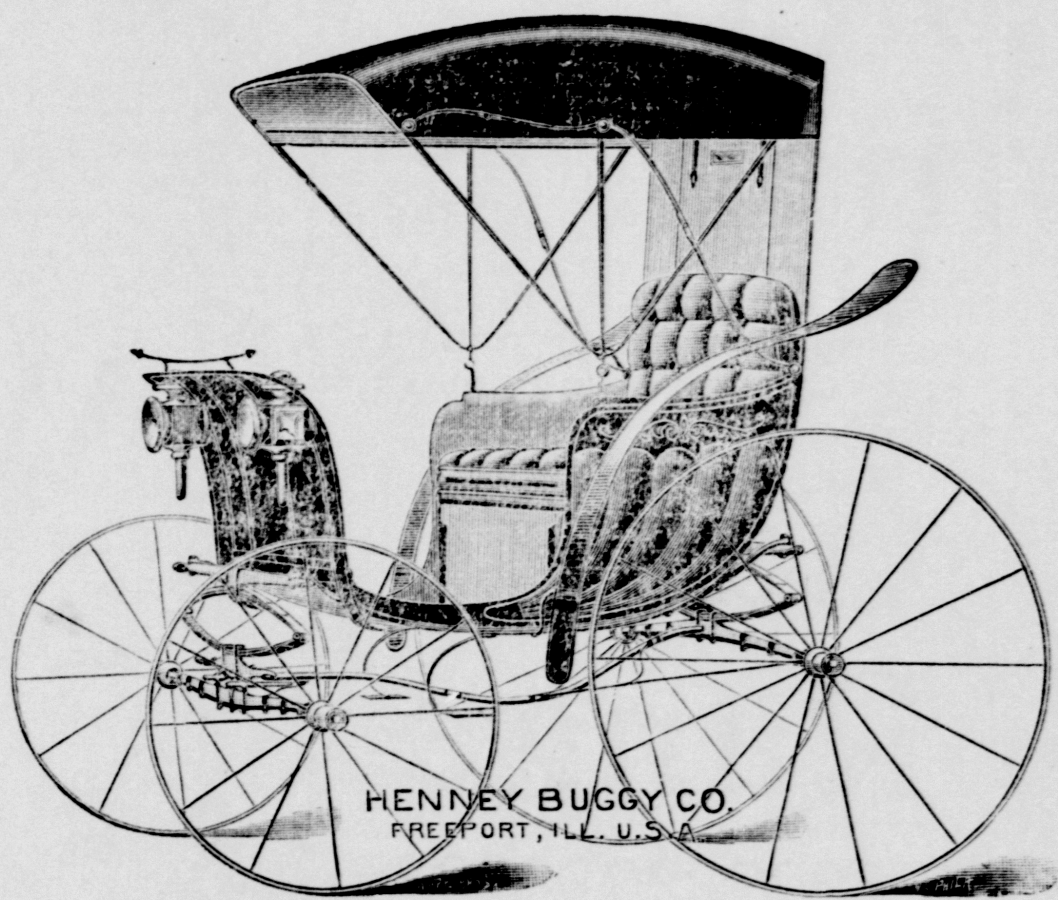
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